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MEXICAN

Insurgents Are Getting Support From All Sides

Troops in Entire Maritime Region Join Revolt Against Obregon Regime in Seeking to Set Up Provisional Government of Awn—Federal Officials Act Promptly.

(By The Associated Press)
VERA CRUZ, Dec. 7.—Troops in the entire maritime zone have joined the insurgent movement against President Obregon and General Calles, according to reports received at an early hour this morning. The rebellion is now said to embrace the whole of the Huasteca oil region.

Loyal troops from Mexico City, it is reported, were in contact last night with insurgent forces. The railways lines between the Capital and this city have been cut.

Leaders of the movement, including Adolfo de la Huerta, General Guadalupe Sanchez, chief of military operations in this district and Jorge Prieto Laurens, are preparing to set up a provisional government here and plan to elect one of their number as provisional president. Rafael Zubaran Capmany is reported to be slated for the post. Several deputies of the National Congress, most of them prominent in the Co-operista party, which is supporting the presidential candidacy of De la Huerta, are either in Vera Cruz or are on their way here.

Leaders of the revolt have offered guarantees and employment to the people and have given assurances that trade will be protected.

Many land owners, it is announced, have joined the rebels, hoping thereby to regain the properties they lost under the law compelling land holders to share their estates with their tenants.

Plans for the movement, it appears, were crystallized at a meeting held late Wednesday night at the home of General Sanchez. This meeting was attended by several generals and naval chiefs who, after telegraphing President Obregon that they had resolved to "assume the defense of the nation," were elected to the office of federal officials, replacing them with sympathizers. They also named General Eduardo Loyo as provisional governor of Vera Cruz.

Through the night and last night came news of similar movements at Tamaulipas, Chihuahua, San Luis Potosi, Michoacan, Jalisco, Sinaloa, Sonora and Toluca.

Manifestos have been issued by both De la Huerta and Prieto Laurens, setting forth their reasons for rebelling against Obregon.

Reports from the surrounding section indicate that tobacco thefts are going on on a large scale. The local police have been requested to watch the local market for the sale of such tobacco. E. S. Garwood, Thomas Moss and W. H. Carroll, report the loss of several hundred pounds of the weed each, claiming that their farms were burglarized during the night.

Conservatives Win; Victory Is Empty

They Have Majority Over Any Single Party, But Would Be Impotent in Face of Combined Opposition by All Parties.

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Conservative majority over all the other parties in the House of Commons was definitely wiped out at yesterday's general election. With 543 seats of the total of 613 accounted for at four o'clock this afternoon the following could be definitely stated:

The Conservatives will have a majority over all other parties in the House of Commons, but will lack a majority over all the other parties.

Therefore, Premier Baldwin stand weakly because it would be impotent in the face of the combined opposition.

The standing of the parties at this hour was:

Conservatives: 235; Labor: 167; Liberals: 136; Independent: 9; Nationalist: one.

This gave all the other parties a total of 313 out of the complete House membership of 615.

The total vote recorded up to 3:30 p. m. for the various candidates by party was: Conservatives 4,709,776; Labor 3,559,408; Liberal 3,554,470; other parties 104,502.

Prime Minister Baldwin has been re-elected to parliament. His constituency, the Bowditch district of Worcestershire gave him a majority of 6,389 over Sardin Hancock, Liberal, this being an increase of 928 over last year's majority.

J. Ramsey MacDonald, Labor leader, retained his seat in Aberystwyth, Glamorgan. Wales, with a plurality of 3,512. He received 17,429 votes as against 13,927 for S. H. Byass, Conservative.

Former Prime Minister Lloyd George was re-elected from the Carnarvon district in Wales over Austin Jones, Conservative.

Mrs. Margaret Wintlingham, Liberal, was re-elected from the Leith division of Lincolnshire.

The Dutchess of Athol, Conservative, was returned for the Inverness and western division of Perthshire and Kinross over P. A. Molteno, Liberal.

The first returns received from the English counties which, generally speaking, are Conservative, gave the Liberal further hopes, as they reported a Liberal win in the Basingstoke division of Hampshire over the Conservatives, who had held the seat. Lieutenant Commander R. T. H. Fletcher, Liberal, defeated Sir Arthur Holbrook, Conservative, by a majority of 348.

W. G. Ormsby-Gore, Conservative, parliamentary under-secretary of State for the Colonies, was re-elected from Stafford; Austen Chamberlain, Conservative, was re-elected in the west division of Birmingham; and Neville Chamberlain, Conservative, was elected in the Ladywood division of Birmingham by 1,554 votes.

Miss Margaret Bondfield, Labor, the third woman and the second woman Laborite to be elected to parliament, was returned from Northampton.

REBELLION SPREADING

\$37,063 TAKEN IN N. W. HOLD-UP

SIXTEEN DEAD IN STORM SEVERE GALE SWEEPS NORTH PACIFIC COAST

(By The Associated Press)
SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 7.—Sixteen persons are believed to have perished as the result of a 24-hour gale which swept the northwest coast territory Wednesday night and early yesterday, causing great property damage, crippling communication facilities and inundating portions of Hoquiam and Aberdeen, Washington and Warrenton, Oregon.

Fifteen persons are believed to have been drowned when the steamer T. W. Lake sank in Rosario Strait between Lopez and Fidalgo Islands, near Anacortes. Four bodies, three of them unidentified, have been recovered. One of the bodies is said to be that of Captain E. E. Mason, of Tacoma.

With the exception of the one ship wreck coastal navigation was unhampered, although the Steamship Express of Canada was forced to abandon her call yesterday at Victoria and dock at Vancouver, B. C., on account of the rough weather.

In many towns and cities along the coast telephone and telegraph facilities were put out of commission and street car traffic tied up.

Bellingham, Everett, Aberdeen and Hoquiam felt the brunt of the storm apparently, although the storm assumed the proportions of a blizzard at Vancouver, B. C.

Browning Murder Case Speeded Up

(By The Associated Press)
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 7.—Determined to prevent the Browning murder case to the jury before adjournment, the district court convened an hour earlier than usual today and will continue into a night session if necessary.

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Negro Pays the Death Penalty

(By The Associated Press)
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 7.—John Goss, negro, convicted of an attack upon a white woman in Mitchell, N. C., was electrocuted at the state prison here today. Before being taken to the death house, Goss made a complete confession of the crime. Four shocks were required before the negro was pronounced dead.

Say Modernists Have Now Strayed From the Faith

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Fundamentalists of the Baptist Church close their mass meetings today after having last night adopted a resolution asserting their one purpose was "to save the denomination from the errors of today" and expressing sorrow for the modernists, who, it was said, had strayed "from the faith."

The principal speaker today will be William Jennings Bryan.

Delegates last night listened to Dr. O. W. Van Osdel, of Grand Rapids, Mich., assert that the modernists "federalist position" was untenable and should be counteracted by demonstrations from the spiritual life of the individual.

"The present sweep of modernism cannot be stayed by intellectualism," he said, "if Christ's followers are to triumph they must do so through prayer and the spirit of God."

Two Women About to Put Crimp Into "The Miracle" Play

Blonde Arrayed Against Brunette in Squabble Over Leading Role Is Spectacle—Both Have Contracts.

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Two European titled women are about to put a crimp into the most ambitious theatrical venture America has made, not to mention what they may do to the bankroll of Morris Gest, the producer.

One of them is Lady Diana Manners, daughter of the Duke of Rutland and England's loveliest lady and the other is Princess Matchabelli, the wife of the Georgian minister to Rome and herself a Florentine princess.

Shortly the two ladies will face Mr. Gest in New York and ask him: "Which one?" Inadvertently, he heard both of them to play the leading role, the madonna, in the American version of the spectacular pantomime, "The Miracle" which will be produced on Christmas Day.

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Sledd Memorial Plans Go Forward

Action by the official boards of the Danville Methodist churches will be taken within the next few days on the quota assigned to each one in swelling the fund needed to provide a new house of worship for the congregation of Sledd Memorial church, one which carries a peculiar heart interest to all of the churches of that denomination in the city.

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HEAVY FINES IMPOSED

(By The Associated Press)
SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 7.—Judge Barrett in the federal court today sentenced twenty-four defendants, convicted on conspiracy and other prohibition charges to pay fines totaling \$150,000 and to serve terms in the federal penitentiary.

PLIERS ARE RETURNING

(By The Associated Press)
HAYANA, Dec. 7.—Lieutenants Rogers and Palmer, Marine Corps aviators, left here shortly after ten o'clock this morning on their return to Santo Domingo after a flight that took them to St. Louis and back. They were expected to spend tonight at Santa Clara, Cuba.

Express Car Of Fast Coast Line Train Is Looted

Lone Bandit Binds Messenger and Throws Safe From Coach Near Poe—Police Believe Robber Had Assistance in Daring Hold-Ups—Made His Escape.

(By The Associated Press)
PETERSBURG, Dec. 7.—A check late this morning revealed that \$37,063 was the loot secured by the lone bandit, who late yesterday afternoon robbed the express car of the Norfolk and Western "Cannon Ball" train, en route from Norfolk to Richmond, after holding up and binding Express Messenger Joseph H. Stevens, of Richmond. The amount secured by the bandit was first given out by express company officials as \$8,000.

Officer Returns With Man Said to Have Stolen Girl

Police Officer Foster Harris arrived in Danville this morning with Homer Miller charged with kidnapping Mildred Reynolds, a fifteen-year-old girl in North Danville several months ago. Miller was arrested in Knoxville, two weeks ago by police authorities after Danville officers secured knowledge that the fugitive was in the city.

Sweeping Cut of Veterans Bureau Employees Made

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—A reduction of 2,900 employees in the field and 500 in the central office since March 1, has been made. Director Hines of the Veterans Bureau announced today in outlining the results of the general reorganization of the Bureau's personnel structure.

2 KILLED AT CROSSING CRASH

(By The Associated Press)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 7.—Two men were killed and two others injured when a Pullman train struck an automobile near Carl Junction, Missouri, this morning.

ARREST "CO-OP" MEMBER FOR SELLING AT AUCTION

Representatives of the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Marketing Association moved again today to curb the habit of contract-breaking by causing the arrest by a police detective of a man who had sold tobacco at auction under an assumed name.

U. S. WOOLEN MILLS
TO CLOSE OUT STOCK
J. Newman, vice president and general manager of the U. S. Woollen Mills Company is here for the purpose of closing out the stock of the local store at 425 Main street, preparatory to giving up their present lease and retiring from business in Danville. The present stock must be closed out and the store vacated by January 1st, when the lease is to be taken by E. G. Anderson and Company.

Have You These Danger Symptoms Of High Blood Pressure?

Does your heart palpitate, or breath become labored on slight exertion? Do you have dizzy spells, insomnia, nervous attacks or frequent headaches? Do you have unaccountable attacks of weakness and fatigue? Is constipation frequent? These are the danger signals of high blood pressure and unless you heed them, will surely cause more serious complications, even death itself. You can, however, easily and safely bring your blood pressure down by taking Blain's. Blain's is the prescription of an eminent physician and has produced remarkable results. Its use has become so general that it has been placed on sale in leading drug stores everywhere.

Blain's acts immediately to clear the system of the poisons that cause high blood pressure. It imparts new vigor to the organs of digestion and elimination, particularly the liver. It contains the same properties as the human bile and is an efficient, intestinal antiseptic. It is Nature's own regulator. Patients state that they feel years younger since Blain's gave them a new lease on life.

Blain's comes in convenient tablet form and is for sale by all good druggists such as Frank E. McFall, J. C. McFall's Drug Store, Patterson Drug Co., Jacobs Drug Store, Stephenson's Drug Store, etc.

EVERYBODY WORKED BUT FATHER!

"Father's stomach trouble seemed to be getting worse all the time and finally he had to quit work altogether. Two brothers and myself gave up school and went to work to support the family. Father had lost sixty pounds in weight and was yellow as saffron and no medicine helped him. Telling a friend about it six months ago, she advised taking May's Wonderful Remedy. I got a bottle and it helped father at once. He was able to go back to work a month later, has regained his weight and strength and eats like a wood chopper. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. McFall's Drug & Seed Store and druggists everywhere—adv.

AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray, Faded Hair Dark and Glossy.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. The box will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.—adv.



A White Clay

Which France perfected gave me perennial youth
By Edna Wallace Hopper

I am the most talked-of woman in America, because of perennial youth. After 40 years as a stage star, I look as a girl of 18.

Many years ago I became the rage of New York. I made myself a queen of beauties. I did that, and I kept that beauty, by some means that France supplied me.

Now I am taking time in a busy life to supply those helping to other women, and tell the facts about them.

Old days and new
Many years ago France taught me the use of clay. They gave me a crude and muddy clay as many clays are still. But they made famous beauties of the women who employed them.

Since then French experts have perfected clay. The clay I now use is white, refined and dainty. I have added factors which bring ten-fold results.

That new-type clay is what I offer you. I call it "White Youth Clay." Whatever clay you have used, this new clay will amaze you.

A beauty essential
Clay is a beauty essential. Years ago, when few women used it, those few became famous for beauty. Not in every crowd you see multiplied beauty, marvelous youth, all due to the use of clay.

Clay purges the skin of all that

Lions Are Guests of Kiwanians in Masonic Temple

The Lions and the Wolves, better known as Kiwanians from Kiwanis, to howl last night sat together at the festive board and, as both are carnivorous, had no trouble in attacking, rending apart and devouring a tempting banquet, the piece de resistance being the event, besides being the hosts of the occasion and right well did they beguile themselves, albeit atavistic at times, but their chief howler, Bryant Heard, had been well coached for the event, besides being a humorist, and he behaved fairly well for Bryant.

To an outsider it would appear that these Kiwanians were a bit fearful of the result of entertaining Lions. So, in the first place they fed them well. With hunger appeased, they proceeded to placate them with a series of broadly elaborated jests—Jungle-Book jests—that were so cunningly developed that it was hard to tell whether Lion or Kiwanian was the butt.

This point, however, was settled by a droll debate on the fire hazard question which was raised by a vicious Ralph Linville, depicted by the inexpressible Franky. The Wolves were the hosts of the occasion and which was to make the city council the goat, vice the city school board.

Some 125 guests and Kiwanians, gathered at the banquet in the dining room of the Masonic Temple. The invocation was pronounced by Lion J. S. Gresham, pastor of Calvary Methodist church. Then Herbert M. Martin, president of the Kiwanis Club, rapped for order and started the program on skids that had been well greased.

First there came the excellent viands, served by attractive young girls from the Y. W. C. A.—and by the way, the menu past excellence was the product of the "Y. W. C. A." During the feast there was music by Westbrook's Orchestra.

Attendance prizes were distributed in a novel manner. First, Dr. C. W. Brichett, president of the Lions club, awarded a motor cap and motor meter, donated by R. E. Bauman when an alarm clock passed rapidly from one banqueter to another sounded in the hands of his right hand neighbor. This according to the Lions gave him the prize. The second prize went to Oda Bradley, whose birthday fell on that date nearest to December 6.

Then came the ceremony of distributing 100,000 German marks to the Y. W. C. A. This feature was put across by Kiwanian Martin as the initial test of the evening.

One of Aesop's fables, that of the Lion with the brat in his paw, was demonstrated with the assistance of Miss Adams, expression teacher at Averett College, who read the appropriate lines. Jimmie Lea was the Lion of the occasion, mighty skinny, not to say skinnily. He also had a monster in his paw and a noble Kiwanian drew it out for him, following when the Kiwanian touched him for a quarter, with unfortunate results.

The musical program was one of the features. Miss Adams, accompanied by Miss Gammon of Averett College, sang two songs. Basil Browder also contributed two, while the Westbrook orchestra did its share.

The evening program was closed by a brief but splendid talk by Malcolm K. Harris, whose theme was that no man liveth unto himself. He first quoted Kipling's dedication poem to his volume of verse that introduces India to the English. He developed his theme by saying that gatherings where man meets man and arrives at mutual understandings are always of benefit, that usually acquaintances improved as acquaintances developed.

NURSES TO GIVE PAGEANT IN MAY

Miss Louise Burleigh, director of the Queen Children Society of Richmond, is in Danville in connection with the proposed pageant to be held next May 12th by the Graduate Nurses' Association of Virginia. Miss Burleigh is here to take the matter up with the local nurses. She announced yesterday that pageants will be held simultaneously throughout the state on the specified date. The proceeds will go for a Chair of Nursing at the University of Virginia.

"The Rover" By Joseph Conrad

DEAN REVIEWS
THE ROVER, by Joseph Conrad (Doubleday, Page).

THE TERMS OF CONQUEST by Howard Vincent O'Brien (Little, Brown).

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Joseph Conrad is playing with age. He is meditative, philosophic in "The Rover," his first novel in three years. He has probably been at the writing of this story over that long period, untroubled by the clamor of a world awaiting some new adventure from his pen.

The complacency of the old fellow is somewhat disturbing to the reader. He remembers a bit through the first hundred pages of the book, seeming to bide his own time in getting to his story.

His hero is Peyrol, a stalwart old pirate who tues of sailing the seven seas and settles in a sequestered spot on the Mediterranean, near Toulon. That was in the early days of the French Revolution when Admiral Nelson's blockading fleet hemmed in French shipping.

Peyrol becomes involved in the romance of a young girl over whom the horrors of the massacre have spread a pall of semi-invisibility. A lieutenant of the French navy, entrusted with the mission of placing false plans of his country's navy in the hands of Admiral Nelson, becomes enamored of Arlette, the girl.

Peyrol, now hoary of age, senses the heavy of the romance between the young man and the girl and the desolation of both their lives if the romance is obstructed. He sets to sea in an old tartan, is shot down as his crew is captured by one of the French fleet, and dies as he achieves the greatest adventure in his adventurous life.

It isn't until Conrad gets his characters out to sea that he seems to be the vigorous Conrad of old. The character of Peyrol is simply the symbol of Conrad. He is a landsman now, looking upon blood when it is red and waters when they are rough only in the tempest is just over the horizon.

And if life is now a placid surface to Conrad, he has earned his peace. He is not a champion of any living writer has experienced.

As a little boy, Teodor Josef Konrad Korzeniowski, with his mother followed his Polish father to the land of the "White Eagle" in the Carpathians. When he was 9 he pointed to a space on the map of Africa and said "I shall go there." He went to sea at 17. His life started at the place he had indicated on the map.

He fell victim to jungle fever while he was in the Congo. Almost all of his baggage was dumped overboard, but he did not change his plans. He followed his father's footsteps. He completed it, it sold at six shillings. Recently the manuscript sold for \$5,300. A recent sale of manuscript and rare edition of Conrad brought a total of \$110,938. The manuscript of "Victory" alone brought \$8,100. The highest tribute in coin ever paid to a living author.

Conrad lives in a quiet country home at Roker, England. He will soon be 66, one of the most picturesque figures in contemporary letters.

Negro Seriously Stabbed in Brawl

Tom Brown, 20-year-old negro, was stabbed in the face and neck at 11.30 o'clock in Washington cafe, Union street, by Lovey Jones, known as "Big Boy," following a quarrel in which Brown's brother, Albert Brown, was one of the principals but who escaped injury.

The quarrel started, it is said, when Albert Brown entered the cafe, found his brother there and asked him to have a drink. It is said that Jones made some derogatory remarks, which was answered by Albert and the two engaged in a quarrel.

Jones is then said to have hit at Albert Brown with his fist. Albert Brown then hit Jones in the face. At this stage Jones pulled a knife and stabbed Tom in the face and neck.

The injured negro was taken to W. B. Fowler's office, where his wounds were dressed. Dr. Fowler said last night that he did not know how serious were Brown's injuries. He intimated that the jugular vein might have been cut, but this point he was not certain. He said that the negro had lost a great deal of blood.

On his way to the physician's office Brown stopped at the corner of Main and Union street. During his short stop there a great pool of blood gathered. All the way from the cafe to the doctor's office at the corner of Main and Ridge streets there was a trail of blood.

After the cutting Jones left the cafe, but was later caught by Sergeant Edwards and Officer Kessler and was placed in jail. Jones says Tom Brown was motion to draw something from his pocket. This is denied by Brown.

EXPRESS CAR OF "CANNON BALL" TRAIN ROBBED

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 6.—A lone bandit tonight robbed the express car of the Norfolk and Western "cannon ball" train, operating between Norfolk and Richmond, of a safe said to contain \$5,000 in currency. The robbery occurred as the train was pulling out of Norfolk, Virginia, about dusk. The bandit boarded the train at Waverly and proceeded immediately to the express car.

"Have I a suitcase in here?" he asked. If Stevens, the Richmond, the express messenger, Stevens stooped over to examine the suitcases in the car. When he lifted his head he was looking into the muzzle of a revolver.

Stevens, gasping and blinding the messenger, the bandit shoved a small iron safe through the door of the moving car. Stevens was found in the car by Conductor Thornton as 2 o'clock was striking the bells of Petersburg. The bandit was a white man and wore no mask. He was described as a "foreigner."

MEETING AT RINGGOLD

The Ringgold local of Co-op farmers will hold a meeting in the Ringgold schoolhouse Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, under the chairmanship of W. B. Wilson, Jr., secretary.

We Want to Buy
Boxwood, Good Stock, Unimpaired
Cm Flower Exchange, 426 Penn
Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.



JOSEPH CONRAD

The list of American historical novels in which the author handles his romance simply as the means of picturing one or more phases of American life in the past several generations grows from week to week. This type of novel forms the greater bulk of the new books of the past six months.

Herbert Quick was probably first on the lists with his "Vandermark's folly." By the time he had written "The Hawkseye," other writers were swinging into line with romances of early America. Notable in the number was Willa Cather's "A Lost Lady," Margaret Wilson's "The Abolitionists," Floyd Dell's "Janet March" and Kathleen Norris' "Certain People of Importance."

Now Howard Vincent O'Brien has gone west for a tale covering episodes in American life from the time of the Homestead strike to the close of the World War in "The Terms of Conquest." He sets forth the vastness and rapidity of social and political changes in our country.

The central figures of his story is Homer Gaunt, who leaves his home in Cold Harbor, Mich., to become a big boat in the big puddle of Chicago.

The industrial slump which followed the railroad strike during Cleveland's administration reduces him to a state of poverty. He would have been completely submerged but for the inspiration of a woman. Spurred on by her, he gains control of a large printing establishment. He worked for years to form a combination of school textbook publishers but ran afoul of labor organizers and "practical politics."

Those were the days when "merger" combinations in restraint of trade and "trusts" were words generally associated in the public mind with arch criminals. This attitude on the part of the public blocked his printing establishment. He worked for years to form a combination of school textbook publishers but ran afoul of labor organizers and "practical politics."

The love plot is slight. It is not so effectively handled as the sketch of American life over the lengthy and important era covered by the book.

SANTA CLAUS TO RIDE MILK WAGON TO NEEDY PEOPLE

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)
CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Santa Claus, 1923 model, will ride a milk wagon and climb the back stairs with the milkman for personal service to hundreds of the city's neediest families whose cases never appear on the list of organized charity. The 4,500 milk wagon drivers and 2,400 men and women who work in the dairies, barns and offices of the industry have contributed more than \$8,000 for the needy.

The wives and daughters of the workers will personally deliver the food and toys which are being purchased in wholesale lots to families whose poverty has come to the attention of the men whose daily task brings them into intimate contact with those in distress. When a family stops taking milk it has struck rock bottom in hard luck and is in need of help, the milkmen believe.

WELL KEPT SHOES

Your shoes will retain their shape much better if you keep them always in urecs. If you do not have as many shoe trees as shoes a corset steel makes a very good substitute. Your delicate satin slippers should be stuffed with tissue paper.

New Lamp Burns 94% Air

Beats Electric or Gas

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, clean safe. Burns 94 per cent air and 6 per cent, common kerosene (coal oil).

The inventor, O. S. Johnson, 642 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, is offering to send a lamp on 10 large FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$250 to \$500 per month.—adv.

Upset Stomach, Gas, Indigestion

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, —Stomach Feels Fine!



So pleasant, so inexpensive, so quick to settle an upset stomach. The moment "Pleasant Tablets" reaches the stomach all pain and distress from indigestion or a sour, saucy stomach vanishes.

Millions know its magic. All druggists recommend this harmless stomach corrective.—adv.

Virginia M'f'rs' Ass'n In Meeting

A meeting of the Virginia Manufacturers' Association was held last night at Hotel Burton for the purpose primarily of discussing and devising ways and means of securing new members for the organization. The members present enjoyed a feast preceding the meeting, which was presided over by Harrison R. Fitzgerald, of the Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills.

M. K. Harris, of the legal firm of Harris & Harvey spoke on the subject of general taxation, expressing the opinion that the State of Virginia would be compelled by act of the next general assembly to increase taxation in order to meet the state treasury deficit of \$3,500,000.

The meeting of the association was more in the nature of a membership get-together rally than for the transaction of any particular business before the body. It was called principally to stimulate interest in the securing of new members from the manufacturing industries of the state. Fifteen executives representing as many Danville manufacturers were present. Among the out-of-town members were: E. A. Hults, president of the association, and president of the Mathieson Alkali Works, Saltville, Va.; Frank G. Louthan, secretary of the association; J. F. Wilson, of the Fieldale Mills, Fieldale, Va.; and W. A. McChesney, of the Halifax Cotton Mills, South Boston, Va.

Organized less than a year ago the Virginia Manufacturers' Association now numbers as its members 125 representative Virginia manufacturing industries. As the name indicates the membership is confined to Virginia industry and was organized with the view of promoting better co-operation among Old Dominion manufacturers looking to the welfare and general interest of this branch of industry.

FRANCE HONORS U. S. WOMAN

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)
PARIS, Dec. 6.—An American woman received one of France's highest honors, held heretofore by Mme. Curie alone, when Mrs. A. Murray Dike, president of the American Committee for the Relief of the Devastated Regions, was elected a member of the French Academy of Agriculture today. The election was to reward Mrs. Dike for her leadership in the work of rebuilding many ruined towns in the agricultural districts. Mrs. Dike is the second female academicien of France, Mme. Curie being a member of the Academy.

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DEADLOCKED ON DATE OF GAME

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Dec. 6.—The deadlock between the Naval Academy and the University of Illinois as to a date for the proposed football game next year at Annapolis causes Michigan to loom large for the other end of a home and home series starting here next year. Rear Admiral Henry B. Wilson, superintendent of the Naval Academy, believes in letting as much of the nation as practicable see the Navy team in action and wants it to visit the middle west in 1925. While negotiations have been started with Illinois, Secretary of the Navy Denby, wants his alma mater, Michigan, as the midshipmen's opponents, and it is now probable that the matter will be taken up with Ann Arbor.

None of the dates suggested by Illinois was acceptable to the Naval Academy. The Naval Academy is eager to schedule the games for two seasons with a leading team of the

middle west, and Michigan may get the call if its football authorities are of a receptive mind, providing, of course, that Illinois is unable to give a date acceptable to the Navy. Both Michigan and Illinois were undefeated in 1923, but the latter played out more major game.

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Annual Epidemic of Shop-Lifting in Big Cities Begins

Much of Pilfering Done For Christmas, Some by Women Who Seek to Keep Up Appearances.

By ROBERT T. SMALL
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NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—An epidemic of shop-lifting is sweeping Great Britain and police reports from other cities indicate that the annual report of pilferage is one in earnest elsewhere in the U. S. and Canada. The pilfering of it all is that much of the stealing is done for Christmas and still more an effort by women to keep up appearances.

At all times of the year shoplifting is one of the most difficult crimes with which the police of a city have to deal. At this particular season it is especially painful. Yet the losses which merchants suffer in the aggregate from what might be termed the impulse stealing of women have grown to such proportions as to call for drastic treatment. One large department store in this city recently turned over fourteen shoplifters to the police in one day. How many more thefts went undetected, the store manager could not say.

Extravagance of living today is given in many instances as the excuse of women taken into custody for shoplifting. One of the women arrested within the last week gave her address as one of the government hotels for women in Washington, indicating

that that she was a government employee. She was charged with stealing a dress valued at \$49.50 from a store in Thirty-Fourth street just off Fifth avenue.

Agencies of the shop-lifters taken into custody here vary almost from the cradle to the grave. That is one of the saddest aspects of the wave, which is sweeping the city. A girl of ten and a grandmother of sixty-five recently were arraigned side by side before the desk sergeant of a West Side police precinct. The girl gave her name as Catherine Miller. She was seen to take a cheap bracelet from a counter that was fair inundated with the baubles. The detectives at the West 30th street station in questioning the girl discovered that she had a purse with \$17.67 in it.

"Where did you get that money?" asked one of the detectives.

"Oh, I snatched it from a woman in Gimbel's a little while before they caught me with the bracelet," the girl replied with all the non-chalance of the confirmed crook.

"Don't you know that is a very wrong thing for a little girl like to do?" the officer of the law remonstrated.

"I don't think so," said Catherine. "Lots of little girls are doing that now."

A charge of juvenile delinquency was lodged against the girl and she was given into the custody of her mother until the case can be heard.

Half a dozen girls between the ages of twelve and sixteen have been arrested within the past few days. They had stolen stockings, books, perfume and small bits of jewelry. Slender purses and a desire by the girls to have things which other girls in

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William Butler Yeats, author and playwright, won the Nobel Prize for literature this year. In 1922 he was named a member of the Irish Free State.

their "set" were wearing were the contributing causes to their delinquency in each case.

One girl of 19 was arrested for stealing \$25 worth of artists' supplies. She gave her address as a quite fashionable New Jersey suburb and said she needed the materials to go on with her work.

Silk stockings, fascinating bits of lingerie, cosmetics and perfumes are the articles in which the department store losses are heaviest.

The reason for this, of course, is obvious. Such articles are easy to snatch and conceal. Furthermore, they are luxuries which appeal to every achting feminine heart.

It is not often the police run across a girl of the Catherine Miller type. She is attributed to the housing conditions of the east side. The judges of the children's courts all agree that the side conditions of today tend to juvenile crimes. Mother of large families have no time to look after all their children. The result is that they run wild in the streets and fall into evil association.

Most of the shoplifters are first offenders. Many of them are married with husbands earning fairly good wages. They simply want more than their purses warrant and the impulse to pilfer becomes too strong to resist. New York judges are notably lenient in such cases and wherever they can do so, either suspend sentence or impose light fines. The merchants say, however, that such leniency will not break up the evil.

Outside Shows to Be Cleaned Up In Crusade

By J. P. YODER
(Copyright, 1923 by The Bee)
CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The doom of the "gloom" that will looking individual of the stage show who cat snakes for a living—is being sealed here today. Likewise final is being written to all the tribe of gaudy, coach dancers, sleight of hand artists, peep and shell workers, shredded dance shirt dancers, whose presence with the circus of a carnival causes father think twice before taking little Johnny to show.

Coincidentally with the more or less serious effort with the theatre managers under Arthur H. Thomas are making to clean up the stage—the show men's league of America, The National Association of Amusement Park and International Association of Fairs and Expositions are in convention here today to eliminate the snake-dancers, the dog-eating wild men from Borneo, and all the erstwhile "necessities" of the show game. All the fakes, they declare is to be removed.

Outdoor show men headed from today on by Thomas J. Johnson, who is to be a sort of judge hands of the outdoor game, claim no high moral purpose in cleaning up their business. It's simply, they told the writer, that there is more money in clean shows than in the old salacious kind that drag in their trail the old-time ruff and con men whose activities caused the careful citizen to leave everything at home but the price of a ticket.

Women and children, they say, are the principal show patrons, and to hold this class of patronage, the shows must be made clean. Moreover, it is added, rumblings had been heard of an outdoor show censorship bill that which is now making life miserable for the movie, the stage and the publishing world.

Another thing the show men have resolved to do is eliminate the local "fixer" whose duty it has been in the past to round ahead of shoe paying out "bribes" of \$500 or so, in addition to the regular license, for the privilege of showing in the various cities on the circuit.

Another Lengthy Flogging Trial Is In Prospect

(By The Associated Press.)
MACON, Ga., Dec. 7.—The arrest of Martin T. King last yesterday on a warrant charging assault and battery and rioting in connection with the alleged flogging of Willie B. Bullock last July, caused court officials here to predict today a further extension of the already lengthy series of trials which have resulted from alleged flogging operations in this section of Georgia.

In the information upon which the warrant was issued, Bullock alleged that a number of men posing as revenue officers entered his store, hand over him, took him in a automobile to a secluded spot and flogged him. Bullock said he was given instructions to leave the city and went to Miami, Florida, returning here only after the first arrests were made in connection with the series of flogging cases.

After his return to Macon, Bullock alleged, he was attacked on the street and stabbed in the neck. King, who is a nephew of Chief of Police Martin Thompson, was released on \$5,000 bond. His arrest preceded by little more than an hour a verdict of guilty returned by a jury court against J. P. Alexander, on trial on a charge of assault and battery in connection with the flogging of Willie B. Bullock, last August.

Emigrants assisted under the British empire's settler act number to date 32,478 to Australia, 4502 to New Zealand, and 8551 to Canada. Every year 350,000 young people, rather more than half of them boys, leave school in England and come on the labor market.

FIRE DESTROYS NEW ORLEANS COTTON FIRMS

(By The Associated Press.)
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—The United Cotton building, a three story structure on Gravier street, between Baronne and Dryades streets, and several small adjoining buildings, were destroyed by fire which broke out shortly before 4 o'clock this morning. No estimate of the damage had been made early today but it will be probably proven that it was more than \$200,000. The blaze was brought under control at 5 o'clock.

The Cotton building, occupied by offices and sample rooms of a dozen cotton firms, was located in the center of the business district and for a time the blaze threatened to spread to several large office buildings in the block, including the ten-story Title and Guaranty Building.

A general alarm brought out the city's entire fighting force. Sparks from the inflammable material in the burning buildings spread over a wide area and endangered others for a distance of several blocks.

The bottom firms burned out included: McFadden Company, William T. Hardie, Malget Brothers, and H. C. Gould.

The blaze discovered about 4 o'clock and when firemen reached the scene the building was a mass of flames. Although in the heart of the commercial district, firemen prevented the blaze spreading to adjoining office buildings by cutting off the city's fire fighting apparatus answered the general alarm.

When the fire was brought under control only the outer walls of the structure were standing.

Pictures to Show Inadequacy of the Present Almshouse

Pictorial evidence to be adduced before the Council next Tuesday showing the need of new almshouse quarters has been prepared for submission and is in the hands of the city home commission. Five large pictures will be presented showing the interior of the present almshouse, the discomfort to which the inmates are subjected, the lack of equipment and the need of repairs and the extent to which the almshouse will have to be remodelled and overhauled. Eradication of the evils in it, it is said on competent authority, would be a major task in itself. These pictures were taken at the request of city ministers who some months ago sought to impress on the council the need of changes. It is pointed out that the present almshouse is neither was any effort made to exaggerate the defective conditions. One of the photographs shows the outside physical condition of the poorhouse and reveals the fact that inmates must enter the second floor of a frame building, in order to reach the dining room are compelled to come out into the open and to descend a wooden staircase leading from the porch. This is pointed out as the only place of value in the present almshouse.

The pictures also show the inadequacy of the almshouse buildings for renovation or remodeling and the difficulty in making them suitable with the expenditure of \$10,000 which argument is put forward by several members of the city home commission.

A letter received on November 28 by a member of the city home commission by Frank Bane superintendent of public welfare in Virginia was made public today. Mr. Bane has twice visited Danville since the almshouse question was brought up and at the time stressed the inadequacy of the present almshouse though it is recalled that he did not brand it as very much worse than similar institutions in other cities. In his recent letter, however, Mr. Bane declares that it would be a pity to spend any more money on the present almshouse as, in his opinion, the locality is unsuited and that the entire place could not be put in fit condition without a very extensive remodeling.

S. I. C. Conference Convenes Today

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Discussion of proposed changes in Southern Intercollegiate Conference rules touching upon professionalism, summer baseball and early football training and consideration of five applications for admittance to the conference will occupy delegates to that organization's annual meeting here this afternoon. The University of Maryland is host to the gathering.

The five colleges seeking admittance are Loyola University, Centenary, Wake Forest, Sewanee and Centre. Twenty-one colleges and universities now comprise the conference.

Proposed rules changes to come before the officials include barring of athletes who have played on any team of which a professional athlete is a member; barring of athletes who accept pay for services on summer baseball teams and on teams which play more than three scheduled games a week; and preliminary football training prior to September 10. Other changes are to be proposed. It is understood and the question of fees paid football officials is expected to be touched upon.

COMMISSIONERS MEET

(By The Associated Press.)
MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 7.—Committee reports, discussion of matters pertaining to the business of the convention and adjournment of the four day convention of the National Association of Railway Commissioners held here today. The delegates attending the meeting today.

NEW CAPTAIN A WEEK

(By The Associated Press.)
FRANKLIN, Ind., Dec. 7.—Franklin College football team will have a new captain each week during the 1924 season. It has been decided by unanimous vote of the present squad. At a meeting of the team held last night, members voted against appointing a permanent leader and adopted instead a suggestion for selecting a captain for each game.

—Mrs. Frank Martin has been called to Appomattox on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. R. H. Browning.

A glove for controlling night traffic, with an electric lamp which can be made to show a red or green light by pressure of the hand, was designed by a Plymouth (Eng.) policeman.

Shed More Light On Gruesome Hoax

Sailstead and His "Sunshine Girl" Make Amazing Revelations as to Grave Robbery and Burning Corpse.

(By The Associated Press.)
NAPA, Cal., Dec. 7.—Long hours of questioning by authorities yesterday drew from Edward Sailstead and his Chicago "Sunshine Girl," Dorothy Anderson, former music hall entertainer, the threads of an amazing skein of machination by which they were revealed as the alleged perpetrators of a gruesome hoax in which they robbed a grave and burned a corpse while entranced by the love for each other three years ago.

It was a plot to obliterate the existence of Edward Sailstead, head of a photograph factory in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, and enable him to leave his wife and children to pursue his love for her, Miss Anderson told District Attorney Thomas C. Aaglin yesterday, as she lay on a hospital cot here, wan and thin, suffering with tuberculosis. Details of the confession of the girl tangled with those given by Sailstead Wednesday after the arrest of the couple, according to the district attorney.

Sailstead is being held in jail and both he and his companion are held incommunicado pending the arrival of Wisconsin authorities.

The cheerfulness which won for her the sobriquet of the "Sunshine Girl" when she was a singer and dancer in a Chicago music hall three years ago had deserted the girl as she talked with the district attorney yesterday and she was hysterical at times.

Despite their love for each other which, persisted throughout the three years and was unshared by any differences, Miss Anderson said they

both were worried constantly and haunted by conscience.

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F. H. Seely—Every statement in this notice has been verified by the Federal and State Courts—F. H. Seely, Home Office 117 N. Dearborn St., Chicago.

Miss Lucy Pugh Dies of Pneumonia

The death occurred at eight o'clock this morning of Miss Lucy Pugh, who succumbed after an illness of ten days. Miss Pugh who was 57 years of age, was a resident of Hydon Hall and had made her home in Schoolfield for many years. She came here from Grimsby near where she was born. Her illness became acute a few days ago and she was taken to the hospital in the hope that treatment might be effective. She grew steadily worse however. At her death when death came was her sister, Mrs. Emma S. Fitzgerald of Grimsby. Deceased was a member of the Schoolfield Baptist church. The funeral will take place at eight o'clock this evening at the new funeral home of P. W. Townes on Main street. The body will be conveyed to Grimsby on tomorrow morning's early train, internment to take place there during the morning.

WAGON EASILY WINS

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Edward Egan of Denver formerly of York, won for Oxford last night the heavyweight boxing championship of the English universities by defeating A. A. Jeffries of the University of London. The bout was stopped after one minute and a half of fighting in which time Jeffries was floored twice.

WEATHER FORECAST

Virginia and North Carolina—Fair and warmer tonight; Saturday cloudy and warmer, probably rain in extreme west portion.

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The following is a list of Danville citizens who saw the worm and conversed with the woman a few minutes after the worm was expelled: Mrs. D. H. Donahue, P. H. Neal, J. N. Evans, John Fuller, W. L. Harsley, Rev. W. H. Harrison, Jacob Silverman, J. D. Hodnett, D. A. McKinney, J. Lee Browder, Jr., and H. W. White.

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A&P Pears Can	42c
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A&P Pkg	12c
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Atmore's lb	20c

PEEL	
Dromedary Combl. Lemon or Orange Citron. 10 lb.	59c
10 lb.	63c

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A&P Assorted Jellies Jar	20c
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NUTS	
Fancy Brazil. 1 lb.	25c
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Shelled Almonds. 1 lb.	85c

Queen Anne Fruit Cake, 2 lb. Decorated Tin	\$1.30
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Florida Oranges. Dozen	46c
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Grape Fruit. Large and Juicy. each	9 1/2c
York Imperial Apples 6 lbs.	25c

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Ass. Chocolates 1 lb.	39c
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Brilliant M. Xtures 1 lb.	29c
Chocolate Almonds 1 lb.	59c
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Congress Recesses; Leaders Are Active

Bills Embodying Coolidge's Suggestions Have Already Been Introduced.

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Coolidge's first annual message to Congress has served to clear the atmosphere at the capitol, so far as the administration's legislative program is concerned.

The executive having presented his views frankly and concisely on the manifold problems of the day, speculation has turned to how many of his recommendations can be translated into law at this season in view of the political situation in Congress.

The president and Congress appear to be as one on the desirability of tax reduction, but the administration's program as embodied in a preliminary draft bill sent to the House yesterday by Secretary Mellon, differs in material aspects from the proposals in this direction announced recently by the Republican insurgents in the House.

Other subjects treated by Mr. Coolidge which leaders generally say will furnish stubborn contests in Congress, include the soldiers' bonus, American adherence to the world court with reservations; amendments to the

transportation act; relief for agriculture in general and the wheat growers in particular and anti-lynching legislation.

Bills embodying several of the recommendations of President Coolidge already have been introduced and others will be presented later. None of them can be acted upon until the committees of the House and Senate have been organized and made their reports.

Congress was in recess today until next Monday out of respect to the memory of President Harding, but its leaders were not in active. There were frequent conferences regarding legislative and other matters, but the chief work under way was that of determining the assignment of Senators and representatives to the various standing committees.

Democrats of the House were called in a party caucus to select their members of the Ways and Means Committee, who, in turn, will make assignments of Democrats to other committees. The Democratic steering committee in the Senate was still engaged in the same task.

Representative Green, of Iowa, prospective chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, hoped to have that committee organized early next week so as to take up tax revision promptly. He said the preliminary draft bill furnished by Secretary Mellon would be used as a basis of discussion.

Republican insurgents on the committee and Democrats will have pro-

posals respecting tax revision and the process of accommodating the conflicting views and writing a measure for House consideration is expected now to be a rather lengthy one.

Gets Six Months On Flogging Charge

(By The Associated Press.)
MACON, Ga., Dec. 7. J. Frank Alexander, Macon grocer, found guilty last night by a jury in the city court, of assault and battery as the result of a flogging given Ollie M. Perry, a storekeeper, on the night of August 9, 1923, was sentenced today by Judge Holmes Johnson to serve six months on the chain gang, five months of which sentence he can be relieved of by paying a fine of \$500 and costs of court. His attorneys immediately gave notice of a motion for a new trial and bond was fixed at \$2,500.

Alexander has several other charges pending against him, which grew out of the flogging of Perry. He will be tried on these later.

Young Named to Succeed Hay

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Representative Young, Republican, North Dakota, is to be appointed by President Coolidge as successor of Judge Eugene G. Hay, of Minnesota as a member of the United States Board of Appraisers at New York City. The appointment will be made in accordance with a decision reached by President Harding to appoint the North Dakota representative when Judge Hay should go on the retired list.

Insurgents Are Getting Support From All Sides

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repudiating the Oregon regime.

General Berlanga is said to be the only commander in the maritime zone who refused to join the movement. The chief of the garrison at Tampico has notified General Calles that he will not affiliate with the rebels, but General Panuncio Martinez, commanding a column of troops, has been ordered to Tampico to inform the commander that he must either accept the conditions of the insurgents or be attacked.

From the message sent to President Obregon by the insurgents of the movement here on Wednesday night, it appears that the purpose of the movement is to prevent federal interference with the affairs of the states. The telegram referred to the "violation of the sovereignty of the state San Luis Potosi and others, which states lack independence and guarantees for the free functioning of their other legislative powers because of federal intervention."

It is recalled that controversies recently resulted from the gubernatorial elections in these states, the effect of which was to bring the federal government into conflict with state officials.

The message also mentions "lack of discipline fomented in the Army from the highest official ranks." The telegram concluded: "These are the undeniable and compelling reasons, which have inspired our attitude."

REVOLT WILL BE PUT DOWN WITH IRON HAND—OBREGON

(By The Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 7.—"The country will be pacified, the rebellion will be put down with an iron hand," said President Obregon upon arriving last evening from Celaya where he has been convalescing from his recent illness.

This was the only comment the president would make on the reports that General Sanchez and Adolfo de La Huerta had undertaken a movement against his government. The presidential train arrived at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, and Obregon went immediately to his quarters in Chapultepec Castle, where he conferred with members of his cabinet.

Federal officials acted promptly last evening upon receipt of advices that the movement was spreading. Three columns of federal troops under General Amaro were ordered from Tampico to meet General Sanchez, while other government forces were instructed to converge at Esperanza in order to assist in attacking Sanchez. Other troops will be concentrated in the state of Tlaxcala under command of General Topete.

Official quarters deny that there has been an outbreak in the state of Oaxaca. They also profess to have received no word of revolts in Michoacan, Chihuahua or San Luis Potosi.

Advices from Puebla state that fighting occurred at Cordova when a part of the garrison there refused to join the Sanchez-Huerta movement.

A war department announcement quotes telegram from Iguala, effect that the negotiations between General Maycotte and General Figueroa, who was recently in revolt against the government of Guerrero state, have been successful. General Figueroa promised to abandon his campaign and proceed to Toluca for the purpose of surrendering. He has announced that he is not opposed to the central government but only sought to reform the state administration.

A popular demonstration against the hostilities in various parts of the republic is scheduled for today. It will be headed by former President Chazarro.

President Obregon has placed special transportation to Laredo at the disposal of Colonel Porfirio Garza and family, because the colonel said he did not wish to fight against his brother, General Jose Garza, who is General Sanchez' chief of staff.

Henry Ford Has Meeting Postponed

(By The Associated Press.)
DETROIT, Dec. 7.—At the request of Henry Ford, the delegates of the allied-Ford-Por-President Clubs of the United States scheduled to meet here December 12, have been indefinitely postponed. Announcement of the postponement of the meeting was made last night by Robert R. Pointer, chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The request to call of the meeting here was the first direct action taken by Mr. Ford in connection with the connection of his name for the candidacy for the presidency. The announcement was made after Mr. Pointer had conferred with Mr. Ford. Mr. Pointer refused to say why the manufacturer asked that the conference be called off.

MacReady Forced to Abandon His Altitude Flight

(By The Associated Press.)
DAYTON, Ohio, Dec. 7.—After remaining in the air one hour and 29 minutes, Lieutenant John A. MacReady was forced to abandon his attempt for a new world altitude record owing to mechanical difficulties. He landed at McCook Field at 11:25 a. m.

The barograph on the Le Pere plane showed an altitude of between 36,000 and 37,000 feet had been reached. Calibration of the barograph, however, is expected to reduce these figures by several hundred feet. Officials at McCook Field say the attempt to beat Sidi Lezotte's record of 36,555 feet had undoubtedly failed.

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Three Years For Griffis Urged

(By The Associated Press.)
MOSKOW, Russia, Dec. 7.—A sentence of three years for Corliss Hoover Griffis of Hamilton, Ohio, was recommended today by state's Attorney Neeb for the attempt to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdoll American draft evader.

Neeb also urged three years for Karl Sperber of Paris, one year for the Russian Prince Paust Gagarin, and six months for Eugene Victor Nelson of Chicago.

Bergdoll's counsel contended these terms were insufficient punishment and asked the court for heavier sentences especially for Griffis and Nelson.

Neeb contended that the United States government was largely responsible for the attempts to remove Bergdoll illegally.

Mrs. Luella Crane In Auto Accident Shows Improvement

The condition of Mrs. Luella Thomas Crane, who was struck and injured last night on North Main extension by an automobile driven by Burton Neal was described by her physician, Dr. E. Howe Miller this morning as far more encouraging. So far as it has been able to determine she has no fracture of the skull, though this may be found upon examination by the X-ray. This will not be undertaken until the accident victim has recovered from shock and regained her strength. Indications today, however, are that she would recover.

The accident happened at about seven o'clock, the woman who is a worker in the local textile plant being struck, knocked down and run over by Neal, a taxi driver who was returning to the city and who was driving a car belonging to North Main. The woman was removed to the hospital in an unconscious state and Neal lost no time in driving to the courthouse and placing himself at the disposition of the authorities. The mayor required a \$2,000 bail bond, but he could not raise it and was compelled to go to jail. Eyewitnesses are quoted as being that Neal was proceeding at a moderate rate of speed and that blame for the accident could not well be attached to him. It being declared that Mrs. Crane started to cross the street with her gaze directed in an opposite direction to that from which the car was coming.

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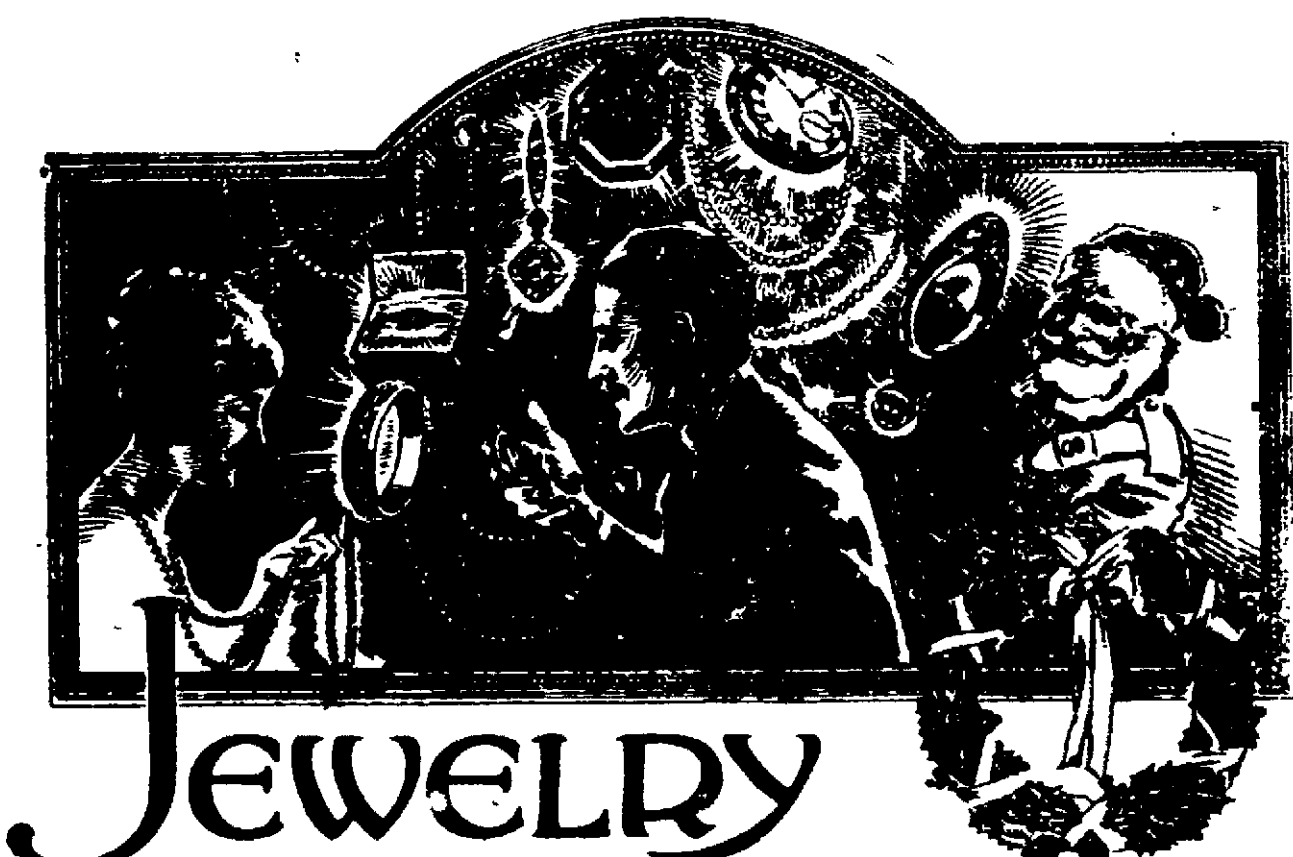
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A THOUGHT

The wicked are like the trou-
 bled sea, who cannot rest,
 whose waters cast up mire and
 dirt.—Isa. 57:20.

Hint at the existence of wicked-
 ness in a light, easy and agree-
 able manner, so that nobody's fine
 feelings may be offended.—
 Thackeray.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1923.

THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY

Most opportune and of vital im-
 portance is the bill, presented in
 Congress at its opening, limiting the
 contempt of court powers of federal
 judges to acts of contempt commit-
 ted in the courtroom. This proposed
 law is most significant, coming as it
 does at the climax to New York's
 contempt of court episode in which
 Federal Judge Mayer and City Com-
 ptroller Craig were the principals.
 Representative Stengle, Democrat, of
 New York, is author of the contempt
 bill in Congress, preventing it with
 the explanation that it was inspired
 by the action of Judge Mayer.

The Stengle bill would prevent a
 Judge, who has been criticized for
 an official act, from adjudicating his
 critic in contempt of court without a
 jury trial and sentence that critic to
 imprisonment. It would make inviol-
 ate the constitutional privilege of
 every American citizen to a trial by
 jury.

The stamp of public approval has
 been imprinted on the action of
 President Coolidge in preventing
 Comptroller Craig from serving out
 the 60 days' penitentiary sentence
 imposed upon him by Judge Mayer,
 yet there is general dissatisfaction in
 the statement of Attorney General
 Daugherty that Craig's sentence was
 remitted, not as a repudiation of the
 action of Judge Mayer, but "only be-
 cause the affairs of a great city
 might suffer through the imprison-
 ment of its comptroller."

There has been no public wish for
 the vindication of Comptroller Craig's
 criticism of Judge Mayer and if that
 criticism was false, unjust and mal-
 icious Craig deserves punishment, but
 the American public, jealously guard-
 ing its right to free speech and trial
 by jury, in spite of the remarks of
 the attorney general, will consider
 the remission of Craig's sentence in
 the light of a repudiation of the high-
 handed method of meting out pun-
 ishment upon a critic of a judge.

That the public has been aroused
 to a high point of anxiety and pro-
 test by the Mayer-Craig episode
 speaks for the perpetuation of the
 American constitution and the right
 to free speech and trial by jury be-
 stowed by it upon every man and
 woman within the confines of the
 United States, whether citizen or
 alien.

JUMBLED LOGIC

Like those benighted individuals,
 who argue that there are just as
 many good people out of the church
 as in it, Secretary of State Hughes
 is explaining with much gusto that
 a nation can be just as moral outside
 a league as in one. Both premises
 are admitted without argument, but
 will the non-church goers and the
 secretary of state refute that the
 league make it just a little easier for
 individuals and nations to be good?

The foreign policy pursued by Mr.
 Hughes under the guidance of Mr.
 Hughes maintains that the United
 States "reserves judgment, is opposed
 to discrimination, for an even
 break in mandated territories, is
 willing to co-operate in the peaceful
 settlement of international disputes,
 is desirous of sound economic con-
 ditions, in favor of international con-
 ferences where the accomplishment
 of something helpful is possible and
 is co-operative in varied humanitar-
 ian effort."

Does the secretary of state wish it
 to be inferred that these virtues are
 possible only outside a League of
 Nations and not possessed by any of
 these nations now members of the
 league? To the contrary, these na-
 tional qualities are enjoined on its

members by the league covenant.
 Mr. Hughes braces his argument
 with the statement: "We are still op-
 posed to alliances. We refuse to
 commit ourselves in advance with
 respect to the employment of the
 power of the United States in un-
 known contingencies." But every
 treaty is an infringement of sov-
 ereignty and the United States has
 entered into treaties and pacts hereto-
 fore, yes, even since Mr. Hughes has
 been captain of the ship of state.

SILLY GIRLS

Is a silly girl more popular than
 the intelligent girl? This momen-
 tous question was discussed recently
 by young ladies at University of Chi-
 cago.

There is a popularly accepted be-
 lief that a frivolous girl is more at-
 tractive to men than a girl inclined
 to discuss the Einstein Theory in
 preference to the latest movie sensa-
 tion. This belief, of course, is based
 on the supposition that men seek
 the company of women during leisure
 hours when they want companionship
 that will be a complete change
 from the monotony of humdrum
 business.

A frivolous beauty undoubtedly is
 more alluring than a homely high-
 brow. Beauty compensates consid-
 erably for ivory brain. But an in-
 telligent beauty has the field to her-
 self, a combination supreme.

The final answer, of course, is in
 the law that water is not the only
 thing that seeks its own level. Per-
 sonality and intelligence also seek
 their own level. The appeal of the
 so-called silly type of femininity is
 mainly to the sillytype of man. The
 intelligent girl appeals primarily to
 intelligent men. The law slips a cog
 frequently, when the leading actor
 wants to gratify personal vanity by
 comparison. For instance, a beauti-
 ful woman can get a thrill by associ-
 ating with women of lesser charms
 and observing her superiority in this
 particular. So with mentality, there
 is a natural elation and satisfaction
 when any one discovers that his brain
 power is superior to his associates.

Such is the psychology of the in-
 telligent man attracted to the "no-
 body home" type of feminine beau-
 ty. He is gratifying his vanity, rather
 than worshipping the girl.
 Our associates are mirrors in which
 we can see our own images, like at-
 tracting like—or our own weak-
 nesses, like attracting unlike, to
 gratify vanity.

LADY ASTOR PLAYS A WINNING HAND

Danville people will learn with po-
 pular interest of the re-election of
 Viscountess Astor to her seat in Par-
 liament after the sternest fight in
 her political career. Returns from
 the Sutton constituency of Plymouth
 show that she had triumphed by a
 substantial majority. Lady Astor
 early in the present campaign found
 a stiff fight on her hands. Her
 American birth was used as an ar-
 gument against her re-election and
 her attitude on the temperance ques-
 tion was used by her opponents
 adroitly among the voters of her
 district less prone to accept with
 complaisance restrictions along that
 line. The result of the Sutton elec-
 tion reflects again sheer ability of
 the dynamic little woman and her
 ability to meet on even terms her
 political opponents and to battle with
 them on issues. The campaign has
 been a real test of political courage
 and political ability far more so than
 her first election when the novelty of
 the candidacy of a woman for the
 House of Commons helped her and
 when there was no political record
 of the candidate to be sustained.



By Dr. Clifford C. Robinson

YOUR HEALTH

DISINFECTING THE HOME

You can be well and strong only
 when your house and surroundings
 are clean and free from germs and
 vermin. Dirt and disease germs go
 hand in hand. The consensus of
 opinion at the last great meeting of
 the American Medical Society, at Chi-
 cago, was that cleanliness was the
 greatest single factor in reducing the
 death rate in our country.

The general health is not safe-
 guarded as it should be. If laws
 adequate to real health conditions
 could be made and enforced, our
 death rate would show a further
 drop. Disinfecting is one great
 means of helping in the prevention
 campaign against contagious disease
 germs.

Proper disinfecting is easy. The
 expense is slight, the gain is great.
 Disease germs are readily killed
 and your house made healthful by
 strong, pungent fumes used as dis-
 infectants. The old sulphur method
 is still used, and in cases where other
 material is not easy to obtain, is
 satisfactory.

For 1000 cubic feet of air space,
 use about four pounds of sulphur.
 Batten up all cracks and openings,
 the keyhole included, so that no air
 can enter. Place your sulphur in a
 paper bag with pumice powder and a
 metal container for safety. Have the
 air of the room moist, so the sulphur
 will be more effective. For vermin
 extermination, sulphur is best. Do
 not open room or house so disinfected
 for 24 hours. Allow no one to en-
 ter. Then open all doors and
 windows to air thoroughly.
 Strong sunlight will kill all ordi-
 nary germs in about three hours.

Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES' BRANCH, Dec. 7.—
 (Grapevine Wireless.)—The relief-
 tions of five-year-old Dimphy
 Drake, entitled, "My
 Parents As I See Them".
 Papa is taller than
 mama and wears pants
 and has more hair
 on his head. Papa's
 head is all shiny like the
 inside of a bath-tub.
 They seem to like each
 other pretty well, though
 they fight some—not with
 their hands, but they just
 yell and talk cross.
 mean. Mama says her
 nerves are bad and al-
 ways tries to do some-
 thing different from what she
 says she wants to because it will be good
 for her. The other day she said she
 wanted to go to the theatre and papa
 said he'd get the tickets and she
 said that was very extravagant and
 she thought she would not go, but
 when papa said all right, he would
 not get the tickets, she told him he
 was a miser, so he got them and they
 took me.

When we got to the theatre, mama
 said she could not take off her hat
 because her hair would come down
 and she could not keep it on 'cause
 she'd get a headache. The other
 made her take it off and she said she
 was going to leave the place, but she
 decided to stay out of spite. Then
 she said she wanted the fan turned
 on, only it would make too much
 draft so they couldn't turn it on.
 And so it went on all evening, mama
 finding the reasons why everything
 should and should not be done, so
 everything was wrong anyway and
 she said she'd had a rotten time and
 would never go to the theatre again
 only she would because there were a
 lot of shows she wanted to see.

And this is the way my parents are
 all the time. I'm afraid I shall
 never go to school because mama will
 think that boarding school is too far
 away and day school is too near. I
 don't care anyway. I would rather
 stay at home and learn both sides
 of every question from mama and
 patience from papa.

Boosters please note: Danville has
 the longest Cape-Worm in captivity,
 70 feet! See it at Dr. Nantz's on
 lower Main street. Don't crowd!

Statistics establish the fact that
 the average number of Christmas
 gifts purchased per person in the
 United States is five. There are
 something over 50,000 people in
 Danville's trading territory and our
 merchants are prepared to furnish
 the 250,000 gifts. Now, you see how
 important it is to DO YOUR
 CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY!

Move over, Junius, and give a guy a
 chance. Open season for fried hom-
 iny, chittlins and BUCKWHEAT
 CAKES!

How Deliciously Naive.
 When I was quite little I
 must confess I always thought
 My sister's fellow called because
 Of how pretty and how sweet she
 was.
 But now I know that's not the reason
 They call for huggin' and for
 squeezin'.
 Which ain't no fun but only teasin'.
 —Swamp Angel.

Another Definition.
 "Love is the unconscious sacrifice
 of one's self and desires for the good
 and happiness of the one beloved."

Long Shot.
 She approached the stallion.
 And looking down the hall.
 She spoke to a pair of burglars
 Who were cleaning out her all.
 She glanced at her revolver.
 And much to her dismay,
 She found one lonely bullet
 That must put them both away.

With fear the dame was stricken,
 But was far too tame to run,
 So she stole a look at father's clock.
 The hour 'proacheth one.

And so she knew her wealth was
 saved.
 With only one she'd bother.
 She'd wait until the clock struck one,
 And then she'd shoot the other.

Time Induced.
 Wife—Do you know what day it is?
 It is twenty-five years ago today since
 we became engaged!
 Absent-Minded Professor—Twenty-
 five years? Why didn't you re-
 mind me before? It's high time we
 got married.

Tom Luther says love is like a
 wrestling match—about three falls
 are sufficient.

He rang the bell a dozen times
 The evening that he met her.
 But when the bell said she'd be his,
 It took one ring to get her.

Bunks Welford says a boob is a
 man who has loaned money to a re-
 lative, and classifies the note as an asset.

The REFEREE

BY ALBERT APPLE

DEMICACIES

A New York newspaper prints this
 item on its financial page: "The first
 shipment of the new crop of Florida
 strawberries, 50 quarts, arrived in
 New York yesterday and sold promp-
 tly at \$2.50 a quart."
 The farmer who raised those straw-
 berries probably would have a stroke
 if he heard about the price paid by
 the consumers. When \$2.50 a quart
 is paid for berries there is cer-
 tainly prosperity in this country—
 for somebody.

BETHLEHEM
 A study of the record of ancient
 Chinese astronomers revealed that a
 giant comet appeared in the sky at
 the birth of Christ, says the writer in
 Mentor magazine for December. This
 comet coincides with the star of
 Bethlehem, for it was so placed that
 if viewed from the state of Jesso-
 raim, it would appear to stand above
 Bethlehem.

Chinese history also had a record
 of a deluge that corresponds in time
 to Noah's flood.

Science steadily verifies the authen-
 ticity of the Bible.

BUNKUM

Carlo Schaner, former Italian for-
 eign minister, declares that Italy
 needn't have any pangs of conscience
 if she doesn't repay her financial
 debt to America. Carlo considers
 the books balanced, our dollar on
 one side, Italian casualties on the
 other.

By another year or two, Europe
 probably will be claiming that the
 World War was fought primarily be-
 tween Germany and America, and
 that the allies should get a bonus for
 helping save us.

HOMESTEAD

France offered a medal to every
 family able to prove that it had
 farmed the same land generation
 after generation continuously for
 three centuries or more. So far, 734
 families have come forward and
 claimed medals. The La Fargue
 family had been farming the same
 cap of ground since the year 772.
 Amazing, especially to our wonder-
 just nation. Americans are aggres-
 sive. Our national spirit is much
 more developed than our community
 spirit.

TEDIOUS
 Carrie L. Hurley has been sewing
 coats in government mail sacks for
 26 years in Washington, D.C. She
 sews a seam four feet long, then does
 the same task again, so on, seven
 hours a day, six days a week, year
 after year. Some one figures she
 has stitched four million mail bags
 seams.

Similar monotony will be the fate
 of nearly all Americans if our indus-
 trial civilization continues to its
 logical conclusion. We are well on
 the road to the day when each per-
 son's work will be an endless repeti-
 tion of a single movement—like the
 auto assembler who tightens a cer-
 tain bolt on machine after machine.

INSECT

Cotton prices are high, but this
 doesn't necessarily mean high pros-
 perity for the grower. Before the
 boll weevil got busy, the American
 cotton crop was as big as 16 million
 bales a year. The 1923 crop is not
 much over nine million bales, though
 the acreage planted to cotton this
 year was the largest ever.
 A crop of nine million bales at 40
 cents a pound doesn't bring the
 planter much more than 16 million
 at 20 cents a pound.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



THE STOVE IN WHITTAKER'S LIVERY STABLE BECAME OVERHEATED TODAY AND BURNED ALL THE HAIR OFF ONE SIDE OF A DRUMMER'S FUR COAT—THE DRUMMER WAS INSIDE THE COAT AT THE TIME

Fashion notes that corkscrew curls
 are coming back, but they won't vi-
 olate any amendments.

Yo Ed is Perplexed.

(Day County Fla. Beacon Tribune.)
 A subscriber in commending our
 efforts as an editor misspelled a word
 which makes the compliment doubt-
 ful: "I must state, as an absolute
 fact, that yours is the best weekly
 paper I ever read."

An Ohio man stayed married 73
 years, but it took a long time.

Correct this sentence: "I have no
 use for him personally," said the
 man, "but I am glad to see him pro-
 posing."

What are the wild waves saying?
 Ah, we have it. C. Schell lives at
 Frankfort, Indiana.

Coleman Dalton says the things
 that're easiest to make are hardest
 to eat—Rhubarb and parsnips, for in-
 stance.

Fruit trees may be improved by
 grafting, but Floyd Ferguson says it
 doesn't seem to work in the case of
 political timber.

It rains on the just and the un-
 just—unless, says Geo. Harris they're
 taken out rain insurance.

No sooner do we become the owner
 of a dollar, than a half dozen fel-
 lows are right after it.

You can catch anything, from fish
 to fame, if you use the right kind of
 bait.

Wirt Boisseau says every time
 Hank Ford reduces prices it makes
 it just that more humiliating to be
 hit by one of 'em.

Belligerent Ballads.
 The fellow I would like to kill
 By boiling in a vat,
 Is the gink who mixes all he says
 With Whaddaya know 'bout that?

All bad enough—
 But the abominable jay
 Is the loud-mouthed bird
 Who says "I say."

I'm an easy going party,
 But I'd like to take a knock
 At the shoe clerk who exposes
 My foot with the frazzled sock.

ASQUITH ELECTED.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Herbert H. As-
 quith, leader of the reunited Liberal
 party, weathered the storm which
 seemed to threaten his membership in
 the House by vote of 9,723 against
 7,977 polled by J. M. Biggar, Labor.

You have waited too late to shop
 early. Shop now and enjoy the rush

"Dear Santa! Please bring us an-
 other month in which to do our

shopping before Christmas."

"I'm so worried I am giving my
 fellow a tie pin and I just know it
 will scratch my face."

Christmas is dashing toward us at
 the rate of 80 seconds a minute.
 If you can't find a gift in the home
 today, the man's isn't there tonight,
 and what of tomorrow?

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Christmas is dashing toward us at
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EAT GILMERS BAKERY

Double Blankets
66x80 Wool Nap Blankets—in a choice selection of colors **\$3.45**
—a truly great value pair

Women's U. Suits
Finely ribbed, closely knit Union Suits—Long Sleeves—Ankle length. A garment that is sure to give satisfaction—All sizes **\$1.00**

GILMERS
FROM MILLS DIRECT TO YOU

Men's U. Suits
Suits that sell regularly for \$1.50—medium weight—finely ribbed knit Union Suits—Long sleeves, ankle lengths. All sizes to 44 **\$1.39**

Men's Pajamas
High quality—Well made of heavy fleeced outing flannel—Braid trimmed—Many patterns to choose from **\$1.98**

CHRISTMAS SALES

ONLY FOURTEEN MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS

SALE! MEN'S SUITS

With Extra Trousers

\$22.50

We feel that we can conservatively say, that these suits we are selling at \$22.50 have the style and quality of suits that sell ordinarily for from \$5.00 to \$15.00 more than the price asked in this sale. A type of suit that appeals to discriminating dressers and we picked the fabrics with discriminating men in mind.

The materials are Cheviots and homespuns in solid colors and neat pencil stripes. The assortment embraces suits for the older man as well as for the young fellow. All sizes.

SALE! MEN'S OVERCOATS

Handsome wooly surfaced overplaids as well as the popular herring bone effects in belted, half belted and beltless styles for men and young men. all sizes **\$22.50**

VISIT TOYTOWN

A Million Toys
Bring the
Kiddies



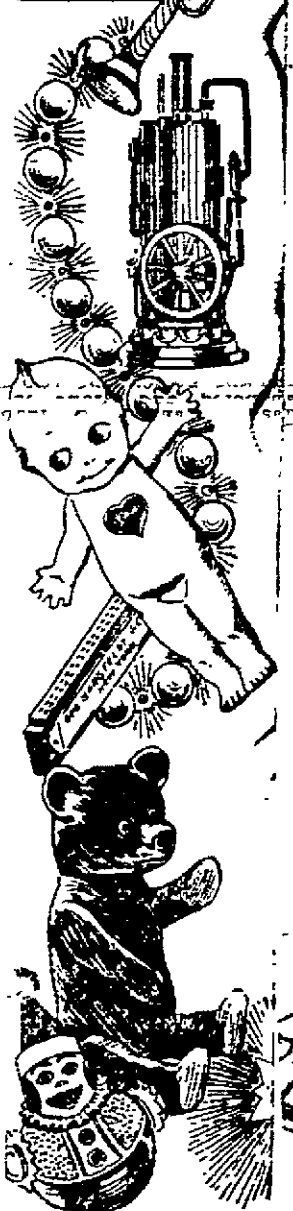
Building Blocks	10c to 98c	Doll Carriages	Rubber tires wheels \$1.18 to \$3.48
Talking, Walking, Sleeping and crying Dolls	\$3.48	Drums	15c to \$1.98
Jointed Dolls with kid Bodies	\$1.29 to \$9.95	Doll Trunks	\$1.69 to \$2.89
Horses on Wheels	10c to 98c	Rocking horses	\$2.48 to \$3.48
Moving Picture Machines	69c to \$9.95	Horns	10c to 48c
Kiddie Cars	\$1.98 to \$2.98	Swinging Horses, large size	\$4.98
Tea Sets	25c to \$1.98	Doll Beds	69c to \$2.48
Black Boards	69c to \$2.38	Games of All Kinds	10c to \$1.19
Doll Cradles	\$2.48	Wagon Blocks	98c
Story Books	10c to 25c	Mechanical Toys	25c to \$1.29
Laundry Sets	\$1.79	Electric Trains	\$5.98 to \$12.50
Kitchen Cakelinks	98c to \$1.98	Sandy Andy Outfit	69c to \$1.39
Pl. anos	98c to \$5.98	Wheel Barrow	98c to \$1.29
Tool Chests	98c to \$3.69	Skooters with Rubber tire wheels	\$2.98
Express Wagons, Strong wheels	98c to \$3.48	Automobiles with rubber tire wheels, windshields etc	\$8.95 to \$15.95
Coaster Wagons Rubber Tire wheels	\$3.95 to \$11.50	Red Chairs	59c to \$1.29
Oak Chairs, straight or rockers	\$1.48 to \$5.48		

Dear Kiddies:

Write me a letter and deposit it in my mail box which is conveniently located in Gilmers Toy Department.

All letters will be answered promptly.
Be sure to write your name and address plainly.

SANTA CLAUS.



BLANKET ROBES

Womens Beacon Blanket Robes—with roll or square collar—Silk finish with cord **\$4.98**
—All sizes.

CHILD'S BOOTEES

Long, short and medium lengths—carefully knit of pure combed yarn—silk embroidered pair **19c**

TEDDY SUITS

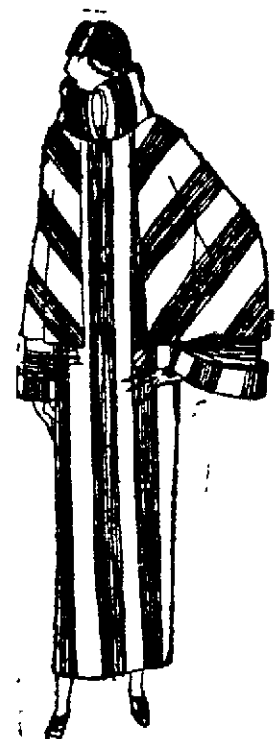
Child's All Wool Three-piece Teddy Bear Suits—Brown, Buff and Blue—Sizes 24 to 28 **\$3.49**

MISSES WINTER COATS

In A Clearance

\$9.95

This sweeping clearance offers the misses or small woman a rare opportunity to save not only a few but a good handful of dollars on a coat of splendid appearance and excellent wearing qualities. In all there are just 85 Coats in the season's smartest silhouettes and colors. Included are such highly favored materials as suede velour and lustrous pile fabrics, some fur trimmed while others rely on self material with fancy buttons or brightly colored ornaments for their trimming touches, sizes 14 to 18 years.



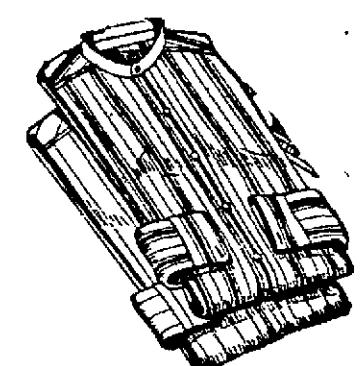
CHILDREN'S COATS

Sizes 2 to 6 years. Every coat in this lot has been repriced and mothers will at once recognize them as very unusual values. Splendid materials in styles for little girls and boys **\$2.98**

Christmas Groceries

Prompt Service
Free Delivery

24 lbs. Dan. Valen ley Flour, plain	\$1.00
2 lbs. Libby Plum Pudding	49c
1 1-2 lb. Mince Meat in glass	39c
Fancy Figs per pound	29c
Glace Cherries per pound	25c
Crystallized Ginger Per Box	20c
Candied Citron per pound	58c
Candied Orange Peel—Pound	30c
Candied Lemon Peel Pound	30c
Golden Dates Per Box	21c
Sun Maid Raisons per pound	14c
Royal Excelsior Currants per pound	25c
Loose Grated Coconut pound	45c
Bakers Chocolate per pound	40c
Chalmers Gelatine Package	15c



Dress Shirts \$1

Men's regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 dress shirts, in a splendid assortment of very desirable patterns, with and without attached collars, each \$1.00

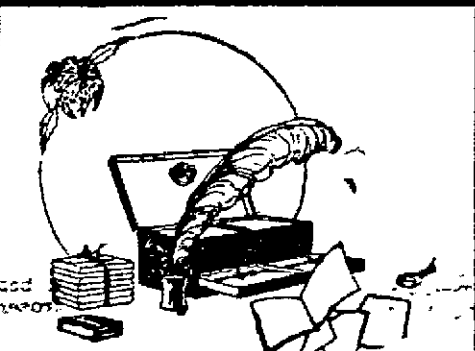
MEN'S TIES

Men's Silk Ties in Christmas Boxes each **59c**



Gloves, \$3.98

Men's dressed and undressed kid gloves, with or without lining. Colors are brown, black and grey; all sizes at pair, \$3.98.

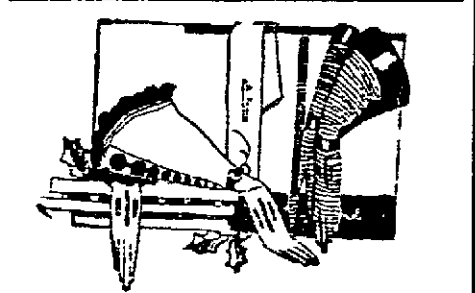


Stationery, 45c

Just received! 160 boxes of this beautiful Stationery, assorted colors to box—pink, blue, white, grey—18 sheets, 48 envelopes; an unusual value at 45c box.

BATH ROBES

Women's Bath Robes excellent quality, many designs to choose from **\$4.98**



Gauntlets 1.25

Gloves smart with their flaring gauntlets and suitings—You may choose from gray, brown and mole color—all sizes, especially priced at pair, \$1.25.

Nuts, Candies

Absolutely Fresh

Mixed Nuts per pound	25c
Brazil Nuts Per Pound	25c
Paper Shell Almonds—Pound	39c
Paper Shell Pecans Pound	69c
English Walnuts Per Pound	29c
Hazel Nuts Per Pound	25c
Candied Dates Per Pound	37c
Caramel Kisses per pound	25c
Candies in Small Jars	10c
Fancy Mixed Candy Pound	25c
Gardenia Milk Chocolates lb box	69c
Delight Inn Chocolates, lb box	69c
Woodland Violets Chocolates lb box	\$1.00
Sky High Chocolates, lb box	\$1.00
Marilyn Chocolates lb. box	50c

Gifts From the Furniture Section.

Gifts of Furniture do not necessarily require large sum. of money—there are many pieces that are beautiful and very very useful which can be purchased for a modest sum and on amazingly easy terms too, through our CLUB PLAN.

LIBRARY TABLE

Beautiful Mahogany finish with large drawers, 36 inch top. Regular \$25. On sale at **\$19.50**

FLOOR LAMPS

Mahogany base—with 2 pull chain socket—and 24 inch fringed Silk Shade. Vast assortment... **\$19.95**

BRIDGE LAMPS

Mahogany base—With fringed silk shade—Adjustable to any position **\$10.95**

TABLE LAMPS

A splendid assortment from which you may choose, pleasingly priced at **\$14.95**

BOUDOIR LAMPS

Mahogany base with beautiful braided silk shades—in all wanted colors each **\$2.48**

SMOKE STANDS

Mahogany finish equipped with detachable ash tray, cigar cutter and match holder with handle **\$5.48**

SMOKE STAND

Pedestal Base Smoke stand with glass ash tray, mahogany finish **\$1.98**

CHINA CLOSETS

Of solid oak with deep shelves in Golden finish and Rounding Glass. Regular \$35.00. Sale Price **\$29.00**

OAK BUFFETS

This full quartered Oak Buffet, Colonial Design. Regular price \$32.00. Sale price **\$33.75**

DINING TABLE

Solid Oak Dining Table, 42 inch round top pedestal base. Regular price \$24.00. Big Value for **\$18.00**

FIRESIDE ROCKERS

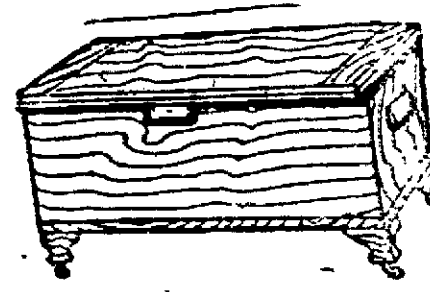
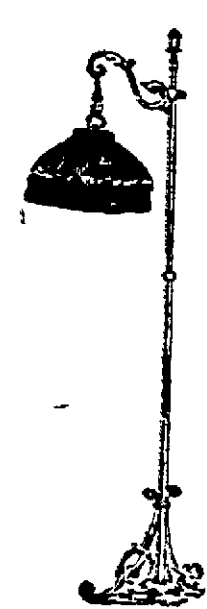
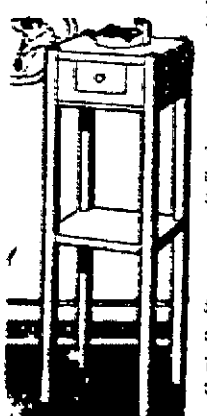
Well constructed with deep sprung seat. Priced in this sale at **\$21.50**

SMOKE STANDS

Genuine walnut, highly finished with two detachable ash trays and match holders **\$7.95**

CEDAR CHESTS

16x36 in. Well constructed of genuine Red Cedar with end handles and carved corners absolutely moth proof. Special **\$19.95**

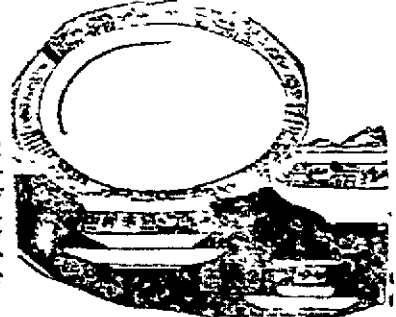


Week-End Sale

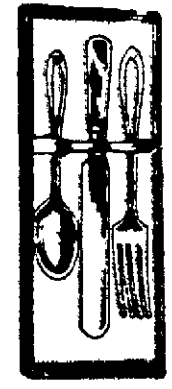
31-Piece Dinner Sets

\$5.98

A carefully molded 31 piece set in a very attractive design—and at a very moderate price, indeed. The ware is high quality semi-porcelain in a pure white glossy finish—Sale priced at \$5.98 set.



Fancy Cream Pitchers	19c
Fancy Sugar Bowls	19c
Fancy Pickle Dishes	19c
Water Sets	\$1.69
Punch Bowls and Six Cups	\$1.98
Fancy Berry Bowls	69c
Fancy Fruit Bowls	98c
Olive Dishes	19c
Celery Dishes	69c
Water Pitchers	59c
Preserve Stands	19c
Fancy Vases	98c
Fancy Vases	\$1.19
Carving Sets	\$3.98
Knives and Forks, set	\$1.79



Extra Special! Women's Pumps and Oxfords

\$3.98

Included in this sale are the popular Suede Pumps and Oxfords. In the much wanted fawn color, two tone effects with perforated toe and low rubber tapped heel. Complete range of sizes at beginning of sale.

MEN'S DRESS SHOES

Black gunmetal and tan calf—made on the new brogue last that is in such great demand—All sizes **\$4.95**

WOMEN'S OXFORDS

A genuine kid leather oxford that is stylish yet practical. With well sole and medium heel. Sale price pair **\$3.45**

WOMEN'S OXFORDS

A tan sport oxford that meets every demand of style, quality and workmanship—with comfortable, stylish rubber heels—all sizes **\$3.48**

CHILDREN'S SKUFFERS.

Childrens Brown all leather Skuffers—Ideal for school wear. Sizes 5 to 2. Sale price pair **\$1.69**



**TWO FULL PAGES OF
CHRISTMAS VALUES FOR
SHOPPERS THAT WANT TO
SAVE-SHOP NOW-SHOP HERE**

\$1.79 BATH MATS Here is a dandy gift item—large washable fancy bath mats \$1.29	\$2.75 TABLE COVERS Mercerized damask, size 72x72, floral patterns, this sale \$1.95	\$3.00 SILK JERSEY VESTS Carniola straps, these come in flesh only, sale \$1.69
\$2.00 BATH MATS Attractive colors, deep loop stitch, large size, washable \$1.45	70c SCARFS AND SHAMS Lace, trimmed, colored silk embroidered, all sizes 48c	\$3.50 SILK BLOOMERS and step-ins, flesh only very special for this sale \$2.45

JOHN BIG CHRISTMAS

Basement Bargains

A Store In Itself!

Child's 50c Knit Caps
All wool stocking or toboggan caps, very warm—Special value **29c**

Men's 50c Ties for 29c
All silk four-in-hand ties, very attractive patterns—Your choice **29c**

Men's 69c Ties for 39c
Rich Pattern assortment of fine four-in-hands, Sale price **39c**

Men's \$1.50 Khaki Shirts
Made of heavy fleeced khaki two pockets, a dandy work shirt **95c**

Men's \$2.50 Flannel Shirts
One and two pockets, heavy wool flannel, all colors, All sizes **\$1.79**

Boys' \$1.50 Dress Hats
A good wool hat for the boys in all colors and sizes. Choice **95c**

Men's and Boys' \$1.00 Caps
All Wool caps for men and boys in tweeds and casimers **79c**

Men's and Boys' \$1.50 Caps
Dandy wool caps in good pattern assortment, silk lined **95c**

Men's \$1.50 Union Suits
Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits fleeced enough for comfort. All sizes **\$1.29**

Men's \$5 Velour Hats
Some fine fur felts included in this special lot, fancy silk lining **\$2.95**

Infants' \$1.50 Sweaters
All sizes, all wanted colors. Comfort and good to look at. Choice **95c**

79c Baby Blankets
Wool naps, dainty plaid patterns in blue and pink **48c**

Children's 19c Hose
Fine quality cotton hose in brown and black. All sizes, only **13c**

Ladies' \$1.50 Kimonos
Made of good quality flannel flannel in pretty floral patterns **95c**

Ladies' 19c Cotton Hose
These are in black, navy blue and tan **10c**

Ladies' \$1.00 Silk and Wool Hose
All the new colors, fine quality silk and wool, all sizes **69c**

Boys' 50c Heavy Cotton Hose
A good heavy cotton hose for boys, in navy blue and tan **25c**

Children's \$3 Sweaters
All wool sweaters in the latest styles and colors **\$1.95**

Ladies' \$1.00 Bungalow Aprons
Good quality heavy percales, in neat patterns, made full **79c**

\$35,000 STOCK, LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S READY-TO-WEAR BOUGHT AT PRICES MUCH LESS THAN AT AUCTION

LADIES' \$7.95 DRESSES
Fine Wool Serges and new combination effects, all are neatly trimmed in braid and silk twist stitching, your choice **\$3.95**

LADIES' \$10.00 DRESSES
New Serges and Twills, new color effects, all sizes, beautifully trimmed, pleated and tailored models, unmatchable values **\$5.95**

LADIES' \$15.00 DRESSES
All Wool Poiret Twills and Tricotines. Coat effects and tailored models, richly trimmed in braid and silk stitching **\$8.95**

LADIES' \$18 TO \$22.50 DRESSES
Twills, Cantons, Taffetas, in navy, black and brown; pleated side panels and inserts, braid-ed and button trimmed, choice **\$10.95**

LADIES' \$18.00 TO \$20.00 COATS
Suede Velours in brown, black and navy, full or quarter lined, Fur Collars or same material as Coat, your choice **\$10.95**

LADIES' \$12.50 COATS
Brown, black and navy Velours, some with nice Fur Collars, others trimmed with silk twist stitching and silk braid **\$7.95**

LADIES' \$22.50 TO \$25.00 COATS
All wool V elours, fine quality beaverette collars, front or side fastened effects, trimmed in braid or silk stitching **\$13.95**

LADIES' \$27.00 TO \$30.00 COATS
Fine Suede Velours and all wool Bolivias, brown, black and navy, fur trimmed or braid and silk stitching, all sizes **\$16.95**

LADIES' \$32.50 TO \$35.00 COATS
All wool Bolivias, fully lined, large Fur Collars, straight front or side fastened models, brown and black **\$21.95**

LADIES' \$37.50 TO \$40.00 COATS
Lustre Bolivias, luxurious Fur Collars and Cuffs, fancy silk lining. Colors are black, brown and kit fox **\$25.95**

LADIES' \$45.00 TO \$50.00 COATS
Apudales, Truvenettes and Bolivias, in brown, black and kit fox, silk lined, beautifully trimmed in fur, choice only **\$29.95**

LADIES' \$10.00 JACQUETTES
All wool Astrakhan in black only, large sleeve effect, wide collar and cuffs, lined throughout, Sale Price only **\$4.95**

LADIES' \$15.00 JACQUETTES
All wool Astrakhan in grey, beige and brown, Vaitka Fur Collar, front or side fastening, all sizes, only **\$8.95**

LADIES' \$20.00 JACQUETTES
Brown, beige and grey Astrakhan, fancy silk lining, Russian Hare Collar and Cuffs. Very jaunty garments, only **\$12.95**

LADIES' SUITS, VALUES TO \$30
Splendid all wool Suits in fine Serges and Twills, braided or tailored models, practically all sizes, navy and black **\$12.95**

LADIES' SUITS, VALUES TO \$45
Here is a strong one for you. Twills and finest Velours; fur trimmed or neat tailored effects, silk lined, navy, brown black **\$18.95**

**TO AVOID CONGESTION PLEASE
KEEP TO THE RIGHT, TELL THE
FLOOR MANAGER YOUR NEEDS**

LADIES' \$7.50 DRESS SKIRTS
Neatest sport Skirts in knife pleated wool Crepes, box pleated Prunellas or tailored plaids, all sizes on sale now at **\$4.95**

LADIES' \$30.00 SPORT COATS
Rich plaids, new stripes, fur trimmed or plain, belted or side fastening attractive lining. A wonderful value, choice **\$16.95**

LADIES' EXTRA SIZE SKIRTS
Out sizes in ladies' Sport Skirts all wool prunella cloth, box pleated satin stripe inserts, sizes to 38 waist, \$9.95 values **\$3.95**

LADIES' EXTRA SIZE SKIRTS
\$8.00 values in all wool crepes, sport effects in-out sizes, box and knife pleated, newest patterns, sizes to 38 **\$4.95**

CHILDREN'S COATS, \$8.95 VAL.
Finest quality Suede velours, nice beaverette collars, high lustre lining. Colors are red, brown, tan and blue. Sizes 2 to 4 **\$6.95**

CHILDREN'S \$4.00 COATS
Dandy little garments for little girls from 3 to 6 years, neat patterns in all wool coatings, good lining, belt all around **\$2.95**

CHILDREN'S \$5.95 COATS
These are for girls from 3 to 6 years, all wool cloak-ing, good lining, new collar and cuff effects, light or dark patterns **\$3.95**

CHILDREN'S \$12.95 COATS
Big range of colors and models, sizes from 6 to 14, plain or Fur Trimmed, full lined, silk twist stitching, choice **\$8.95**

CHILDREN'S \$18.00 COATS
Velours, Bolivias and other best grades of all wool cloak-ing; Fur Collars, braid or silk twist stitching, sizes 6 to 14, only **\$10.95**

LADIES' \$5.95 DRESS SKIRTS
All wool Crepes and Prunella Cloth, sport effects in pleated or tailored models newest colors and patterns, get one now, get it here **\$3.95**

CHILDREN'S \$8.50 COATS
All sizes from 6 to 14 years, made of wool cloak-ing, full or quarter lined. Fur Trimmed or plain, choice **\$4.95**

LADIES' \$5.00 BATH ROBES
Nice grade blanket robes, shawl collar, rope girdle, assorted floral patterns, cuff and pockets are braid trimmed. Sale price **\$3.95**

LADIES' \$6.50 BATH ROBES
Fine Blanket Robes, heavy weight large shawl collar, turn back cuffs, ribbon trimmed, Rope girdle, floral designs **\$4.95**

LADIES \$3 AND \$3.50 KIMONOS
Big assortment silk embroidered cotton Crepe Kimonos in sizes up to 46, fitted or loose back, ribbon trimmed **\$1.95**

CHILDREN'S \$7.00 RAIN COATS
Heavy Tan Leatherette Coats, sizes 8 to 14 years, heavy lining, wide belt all around, good roomy pockets, sale price **\$4.95**

CHILDREN'S \$4.00 RAIN CAPES
Tan leatherette capes with cap attached sizes up to 14 years, nicely lined, a good long cape, thoroughly waterproof **\$2.95**

SHOES BASEMENT BARGAINS SHOES

STOP! READ! THINK IT OVER! HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF SUCH WONDERFUL REDUCTIONS BEFORE IN ALL YOUR BUYING CAREER? PEOPLE! IF PRICES COUNT WITH YOU, WE ARE GOING TO MAKE THIS THE BIGGEST SHOE SALE EVER INAUGURATED IN THE CITY OF DANVILLE.

CHILDREN'S \$2.00 AND \$2.50 STITCH DOWN
Sizes 5s to 11s **\$1.45** Sizes 11 1-2 to 2s
In Our Basement.

LADIES' \$4.00 TO \$6.00 SLIPPERS
Tan **\$1.00** Black
In Our Basement.

LADIES' \$5.00 AND \$6.00 DRESS SHOES
Tan **\$1.95** Black
In Our Basement.

LADIES' \$4.00 AND \$5.00 HEAVY SHOES
Tan **\$2.95** Black
In Our Basement.

LADIES' \$5.00 AND \$6.00 DRESS SHOES
Tan **\$2.95** Black
In Our Basement.

BOYS' \$3.00 AND \$3.50 WORK SHOES
No More **\$1.95** No Less
In Our Basement.

BOYS' \$5.00 AND \$6.00 DRESS SHOES
No More **\$2.95** No Less
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MEN'S \$4.00 AND \$5.00 DRESS SHOES
No More **\$2.95** No Less
In Our Basement.

MEN'S \$3.00 AND \$4.00 WORK SHOES
No More **\$1.95** No Less
In Our Basement.

MEN'S \$2.00 AND \$2.50 HOUSE SLIPPERS
Tan **\$1.45** Black
In Our Basement.

MEN'S \$4.00 AND \$5.00 WORK SHOES
Plain Toe **\$2.95** Cap Toe
In Our Basement.

LADIES' \$5.00 AND \$6.00 DRESS OXFORDS
Tan **\$2.95** Black
In Our Basement.

Gift Things at SALE PRICES

SENSIBLE GIFTS THAT SHOW YOUR GOOD JUDGMENT—SELECT NOW

Boys' Pony Cars
Wood wheels, attractive, horse head, and neck, wood seat, steering bar and post. Price only **\$2.95**

Boudoir Caps
Pretty silk caps with hand embroidered top and edge, big range of colors, an ideal gift, 95c to **\$1.29**

Shaving Sets
Here is a dandy gift for men—very attractive white metal sets **\$1.95**

Beads—Give Beads
Choker length or long necklace, all colors, 25c up to **\$1.95**

Pearl Necklaces
You can't go wrong—Buy the pearls—Price from 25c to **\$1.95**

Beaded Bags
Beauties, rich color designs, by assortment, Price \$1.29 to **\$3.45**

Jap Work Boxes
Fancy cretonne covered tops, very useful, Sale price **\$1.45**

Hand Painted Boxes
Imported work boxes, hand painted, very ornamental and useful. Prices \$1.95 to **\$2.95**

Ladies Handkerchief
Give her handkerchiefs, always a valuable, thousand to select from at very special prices. We have them in cotton, linen and silk. Prices each **5c to 39c**

Serving Trays
Mahogany finish, novelty glass bottom, cut out handles **\$1.29**

Serving Trays
Large size, mahoganyized, imitation island bottom, metal handles **\$1.95**

Jap Work Baskets
Cotton, ring and silk cord decorations, all sizes, 48c to **\$1.95**

Dolls—Dolls—Dolls
All sizes, finest assortment domestic dolls, "Mama" Dolls, indestructible dolls, all sizes, Prices 19c up to **\$7.95**

Panel Wall Mirrors
Decorative frame, picture panel, top, large size, only **\$1.29**

Doll Carriages
Good strong metal ones, Beds for Dollie **\$1.29**

Decorative Baskets
Filled with foliage and artificial flowers, Complete **95c**

Doll Chairs & Table
For Dollies luncheon or party **\$1.29**

Ladies' Hat Boxes
Ideal for traveling—imitation patent leather, very durable **\$4.95**

Fitted Work Basket
Fine imported work baskets, nicely fitted, 55c to **\$3.45**

Drums for the Boys
All sizes and full of noise **\$1.95**

Dollies' High Chair
You can bring her to the table, one of these, can't fall out **\$1.95**

"Rock-A-By" Cradle
These are in nice white enamel, very well made **\$1.95**

Decorated Fruit Bowls
Pedestal base, very ornamental, raised floral and fruit designs **\$1.95**

Waste Baskets
Ivory finish, nicely decorated, oil colors, Prices 79c to **\$1.45**

\$12.50 SQUIRREL CHOKERS Extra well matched, genuine grey squirrel, a real gift \$8.95	\$3.00 SILK PETTICOATS Heavy quality silk jersey fancy flounces, sale price \$1.95	39c TURKISH TOWELS Extra large Turkish bath towels, fancy border, special sale price 29c
\$7.50 OPOSSUM CHOKER Imitation martin, full length, special sale price \$4.45	\$4.00 SILK PETTICOATS Silk jersey, special quality, wide pleated flounce, all colors \$2.95	59c TURKISH TOWELS Deep loop stitch, white or fancy border designs, only 39c

**TO AVOID ALL REGRETS
AND ESCAPE AFTER CHRISTMAS
BILLS--BUY FOR CASH--BUY AT
JOHNSON'S--SAVE THE DIFFERENCE**

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Ivory finished sets, completely
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**Ivory Finished Mirrors, Combs,
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Decorated Candle Sticks**

Doraine Compact
Decorated boxes with your de-
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In decorated metal containers,
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Imported Oriental designs, draw
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Ideal Gift Assortment

Ladies Fancy Garters
Imported Compacts
In fancy metallic cloth, covered
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Heavy 4-Piece Mat Sets, a very ac-
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Animated Crazy Toys
Auto racers, wild fire, dare devils,
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Choice only **50c**

Men's Knife and Link
Sets, with vest chain, good
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\$12.50 Chokers
About 22-inch well matched grey
squirrel chokers, large brush, very
natural head, **\$8.95**

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All silk jersey, all colors, fancy
pleated flounce. Re-
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Teddy, Step-Ins, Bloomers, Vests
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Fine wool cassimeres and worsteds, in brown and
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All wool worsteds and cassimeres, solid colors and
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High grade worsteds, neat pencil stripes over brown,
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Made of special grade heavy Overcoating, quarter
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MEN'S WOOL TROUSERS, \$4 VAL
All wool Khaki Cloth and also neat cassimeres in this
special lot. Trousers for dress or hard
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Extra heavy all wool Overcoating,
belted waist line, welt seams, plaid
back, large collars and cuff effects,
special for Christmas
sale **\$15.95**

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Here is a good one. All wool Vicuna finish Overcoat-
ing, fancy plaid back, piped seams, attractive colors,
in tans and browns, all
sizes **\$18.95**

MEN'S \$3.00 DRESS SHIRTS.
Good quality percale and corded madras, coat style,
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MEN'S NECKWEAR, \$1.00-VALUE
Extra heavy broadcase silk and silk knit four-in-hand
ties in all the newest patterns and the sea-
sons best colors, big assortment, choice **69c**

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Men's fine quality silk sock, very elastic knit, mer-
cerized heel and toe and long ribbed top,
high splined heel, double sole. For this sale **48c**

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Boys' good heavy suits of union cassimere, belted
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These fine cassimere and tweed mixtures come with
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Worsteds and cassimeres, coats well lined, two pair
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tailored. Sizes from 7 to 16
years, **\$10.95**

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"Bob Whites" special make nifty little suits, trousers
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blem on sleeve, in colors, Sizes 3 to 8 **\$2.95**

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Good full count percale in big range of patterns, neat
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turnback cuffs, all sizes, sale price **\$1.45**

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MEN'S \$4 AND \$5 SILK SHIRTS
Attractive assortment of men's fine broadcloth and
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BOYS' OVERCOATS, \$6.95 VALS.
Sizes 3 to 8 years, mannish little Ulsterettes, belted
waist, side pockets, lined throughout,
neat patterns. Real comfy Coats for only **\$3.95**

BOYS' OVERCOATS, \$12.95 VAL.
Velour finish overcoating, belt all around, fully lined,
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all around waist line, welt seams, good lining and
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Good quality fur felt hats for men in all the most
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MEN'S \$5.00 VELOUR HATS
This lot includes fur felts and velours, fine Silk trim-
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Most wanted colors and shapes **\$2.95**

**MEN'S \$1.50
NECKWEAR**
Fine grade silk four-in-hand ties, wide
open end style, neat colors and rich
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MEN'S SILK HALF HOSE
The celebrated "Phoenix" brand, double toe heel
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Another Phoenix Products, high grade silk and wool
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Soft grey wool shirts, attached collars, pockets on both
sides, made full, perfect fitting, all sizes, **\$1.95**

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Heavy outing, very soft fleeced finish, neat, attractive
patterns. All sizes, come on men keep warm. **95c**

BOYS' \$5.00 WOOL SWEATERS
Here is a good one for the boys, these sweaters are all
wool, slip over style, all colors, well
made and snappy **\$3.95**

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**Boys' and Girls' \$1.00
Union Suits**

Ribbed knit, very soft
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ion suits, girls or boys **79c**

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ed Shirts**
See quality percale
with or without collar,
neat patterns **79c**

**Children's \$1.50
Dresses**
Ideal school dresses in
neat plaid and check
ginghams, size to 14 **98c**

**Men's and Boys' \$2.00
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Made of heavy se-
lected cotton yarn,
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Men's \$1 Work Shirts
Heavy quality blue chambray well
made, all sizes
Sale **69c**

Men's 19c Cotton Sox
These come in black
and colors, fine gauge
extra values for **13c**

79c House Brooms
59c

Made of selected broom
corn, strong 4 string
brush, sale price **59c**

Men's 89c Underwear
Fine quality Ribber knit
and fleeced lined shirts
and drawers **69c**

79c Baby Blankets
Nice warm cotton blankets, size
26x42 in attractive plaid
patterns. Very
soft fleeces **39c**

**Boys' \$1.25 Wool
Pants**

Absolutely all wool, neatest new
Fall patterns, sizes
from 3 to 8
years **79c**

Boys' \$1.50 Trousers
All wool or Corduroys, very
strongly made, full
range sizes, wonderful
assortment patterns **95c**

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A real Basement Bargain--Gen-
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black leather **\$3.95**

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Fine fur felt in newest fall black
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silk linings, extra
quality silk band **\$1.69**

Men's \$1.50 Sweat'r
Also boys' sizes, made of fine
quality heavy cotton
yarn in navy and
grey only **\$95**

Ladies' \$3.50 Skirts
Neatest box pleated styles in heavy
union prunella
cloth, fancy
inserts **\$1.95**

75c Aluminum Pans
Staple quality aluminum cooking
pans, medium size,
choice for this sale,
only **39c**

75c Wool Knit Caps
Children's Knit Caps in nice assort-
ment of color,
good weight,
Sale Price only **48c**

**Children's \$6.50
Coats**

Good wool coats for girls from 5
to 10 years, neat
patterns, big
assortment **\$3.95**

**Children's \$8.00
Coats**

These are for girls from 8 to 14
years, Good heavy
wool coats,
fully lined **\$4.95**

Men's Caps \$1.50
Here is a real value for you in
men's all wool tweed
and casimeres caps, all
sizes, Choice **95c**

TRIMMED HATS AND SAILORS MILLINERY LADIES, MISSES and CHILDRENS

SPORT HATS, VALUES TO \$2.95
Ladies, misses and childrne's Sport Hats of
Angora or felt in big range of col-
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Trimmed Hats and fine plush sailors, some
of the seasons best styles, rich
floral and metallic trimmings **\$1.95**

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This includes a wonderful assortment of
feather hats, velvet and satin combinations,
all beautifully trimmed, Sale
Price **\$2.95**

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Richly trimmed in metallic cloth feather and
ribbon fancies or self materials.
All new colors, all desired shapes. **\$3.95**

CHILDRENS HATS, VALUE \$2.50
Banded Sailors and dainty little trimmed hats
all desirable colors, sailors have silk
ribbon band and streamer, choice **98c**

LADIES' HATS, VALUES TO \$8.95
Velvets and satins, featuring the season's
most favored trimmings, the season's best
color effects, small and medium
shapes **\$4.95**

LADIES' HATS, VALUES TO \$10
Rich Panne Velvets, new satins choice com-
binations, self trimmed or dainty metallic or
feather effects. Special Sale
Price **\$5.95**

LADIES' HATS, VALUES TO \$15
Imported Copies, Satins, Velvets and feather
models, high colors or "chic" and dainty if
you please. Don't miss this
Special **\$6.95**

CHILDRENS HATS, VALUE \$4.50
Big assortment in this special lot, all nicely
trimmed, all desired colors and shapes,
some of the season's best
Styles **\$1.95**

CHILDREN'S HATS, VALUE \$3.95
Chic little hats in rich velvets and plushes,
floral and ribbon trimmings, col-
ors blue, brown, red and black **\$1.45**

CHILDREN'S HATS, VALUE \$5.00
Some of this attractive lot are beautifully fur
trimmed others trimmed in ribbons and
feather fancies, all colors. Make
your selection at **\$2.95**

INFANTS SILK & WOOL CAPS
Just as "comfy" as you please, just as dainty
as the little tot itself, our showing of Caps
will delight you, soft knit silk or
all wool **59c** and up to **\$2.95**

LADIES' HATS--ODDS & ENDS
Some of the season's best styles, but slightly
damaged from handling, values up to
\$12.00 to go in this great sale **\$3.95**

TWO WOMEN CLAIM TO HAVE KILLED MAN



BY GEORGE BRIT (Special to The Bee)

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Born to unhappiness, swaddled in looted silks, loved by the flaming passion of a tigress, according to police, two-year-old Tootie Baluk Malm yet remains a beneficent cherub.

Tootie it was who evoked the holiness of mother instinct in Katherine Baluk Malm. Tootie was the one fine and redeeming motive in the woman's life. And Tootie incidentally, brought to its highest climax the thick-twined mystery of the murder of Edward Lehman, authorities declare.

Said Mrs. Malm, in what she thought was the last letter she ever would write to her own mother: "Please raise Tootie straight and never tell her who I was. A wife tell her I loved her more than my own life."

The murder mystery, seemingly, was nicely cleared up before Tootie's little footfall came to be heard upon the stage of the drama. Two days after Lehman was shot by a pair of burglars in a dark alley early last month, the police arrested Ethel Beck, 18, and Walter Bockelman, her supposed sweetheart.

Complications Begin.
The girl called "Blond Kitty" in the streets and cabarets of her neighborhood, confessed volubly, detectives say. She went to the scene and re-enacted the crime to harmonize with every known detail. Several eye-witnesses identified her and Bockelman positively.

The man stubbornly denied her story. But no one believed him. And the two remained in jail.

Three weeks passed, and, in the first of police detail, appeared Otto Malm. He had been caught, the records show, in the act of burglary. And he was anxious, detectives assert, to make a clean breast of everything.

Without questioning according to assistant state's attorneys, he volunteered the information that he and his wife had shot Lehman.

The orderly arrangement based upon "Blond Kitty's" purported confession was upset. She, in turn, repudiated it.

Still Hold All.
And then a mother's longing for

Dancer and Lover Robbed Grave to Leave Together

(By The Associated Press)
NAPA, Calif., Dec. 6.—Dorothy Anderson, once a singer and dancer known in Chicago music halls as "the machine gun," lay on a hospital cot here today, white and thin from tuberculosis and with her story took District Attorney C. Anglim back to a night three years ago in the cemetery at Lake Nebagamon, Wisconsin, where she said she and her lover, Edward J. Salstad, robbed a grave so they could run away together in peace.

Salstad is in jail here awaiting the arrival of officers from Wisconsin where he is charged with arson for the supposed burning of a cottage in which he was said to have placed the body of Allan McPhee, a friend. The body was identified as that of Salstad and his "widow" has re-married.

Salstad, too, has confessed. Miss Anderson denied she and Salstad had intended to defraud an insurance company, but contended that the hoax was carried out only that Salstad might leave his wife and children without a trial to follow.

The district attorney agreed that he did not believe the couple had planned to have the insurance collected.

Her story was much the same as that told by Salstad in his confession.

She said she met Salstad in an amusement resort in Chicago in April, 1920 and later accepted employment in his phonograph factory in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. She agreed to his plan to run away, she said, and then told of being with him the night he dug up McPhee's body and placed it in a rented cottage which was then fired.

Miss Anderson then told of how they "ranched around together" and were happy but that both worried over what they had done.

Salstad and Miss Anderson were held incommunicado today.

INDICTMENT DISCUSSED

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—An indictment charging Floyd Fitzsimmons, fight promoter with failure to pay the federal admission tax on a bout held several months ago in his arena at Michigan City, Ind., has been dismissed in federal court here. Investigation showed no basis for prosecution, court officials said today.

MRS. KATHERINE MALM (LEFT), BABY TOOTIE (CENTER) AND ETHEL BECK.

her child—Baby Tootie was being cared for by police matrons—led to Mrs. Malm's surrender.

Inundated with seemingly logical "confessions," baffled by two parallel and yet irreconcilable stories, police and prosecutors simply gasped for breath and held both pairs of prisoners.

"Blond Kitty," tired of jail, sought to explain.

"I'd say yes to anything. I've taken raps before. It was kind of hard on Bockelman, all right, but I couldn't see any other way.

Anxious for Tootie.

"I'm afraid he'll get me when we get out."

Mrs. Malm is more impressive. Her crisp, desperate sentences carry weight.

"I had to come back to see my baby," she declares. "I'd gladly be burned at the stake for Tootie."

A psychiatrist here classifies Mrs. Malm as a "cave woman." Ethel, he

calls a weaking.

In her cell, Mrs. Malm has made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide, turnkeys assert. It was just before it that she wrote to her mother.

And she wrote to Malm, too, telling him, police say:

"You can tell them now that I done the shooting, so they will let you go to take care of baby forever. But please quit the racket and raise Tootie in an honest way for your departing mama's sake.

"Daddy, don't let anyone insult her or ruin her young life like they did with me."

GOITRE REMOVED
Syracuse Lady Tells How She Was Saved An Operation

Mrs. Hattie Church, 215 Putnam Street, Syracuse, N. Y., says she will tell or write how she was saved an operation with Sorbol Quacuple, a colorless liniment.

Get free information at Clanton Drug Co., and all drug stores, or write Box 358, Mechanicsburg, Ohio.

Chinese Town Is Looted and Fired; People Murdered

(By The Associated Press.)
PEKING, Dec. 6.—Bandits scaled the walls of Likwankia, in southwestern Honan province, and looted and burned the town some days ago, according to advices received today from a mission station at Lachokow in Hupeh province, across the boundary line from the burned town.

Two thousand dead and wounded were left behind when the bandits abandoned the smoking ruins of the town, the advices said.

Although the attack occurred in mid-November details of it were delayed in reaching the rest of the world by the isolated position of Likwankia, far up a tributary of the Hankiang river.

Led by the notorious Lao Yan-Gren who has been terrorizing settlements all along the Hohang-Hupeh border, the bandits swooped down on the

town unexpectedly. They used poles and rocks to make scaling ladders with which they mounted the wall about the town.

Groups of townspeople were tied together, kerens were thrown over them and a match touched to it, turning them into living torches. The report said. It continued:

"So numerous were the disfigured corpses that a big pit was dug and all who could not be identified were dumped therein."

Alarmed by the activities of Lao Yan-Gren, foreign missionaries stationed at Lachokow have fled. The mission station there was burned and two native teachers are missing.

Lao Yan-Gren is continuing his activities in the district and has issued

a proclamation announcing that any persons resisting his followers will be subjected to the cruellest possible deaths.

Four missionary bodies maintain representatives in Lao Howkow. They are the China Inland Mission, the Christiana Mission, Lutheran Brethren Mission and the Norwegian Lutheran Mission.

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Stubborn coughing

is a needless waste of strength. And it increases the irritation that is causing the cough. Stop it quickly. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey combines the very same medicines which the ablest doctors use with the old time, well-tried remedy—pine-tar honey that generations have relied upon. It swiftly loosens the inflamed throat and lung tissue and restores normal breathing. Tastes good, too. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

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COLDS THAT

DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

A cold or cough and persistent cold lead to serious lung trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and kills the germ.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by the medical fraternity as the greatest healing agency for the treatment of chronic coughs and colds and other forms of throat and lung troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation. While the creosote goes on to the stomach it is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and destroys the germs that lead to consumption.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of chronic coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, catarrhal bronchitis and other forms of throat and lung diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or the flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Co., Atlanta, Ga.—adv.

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	Men's Handkerchiefs	3½c	Mens Union Suits, heavy	\$1 15	Men's Collars, special	11½c
	Large Size	3½c	ribbed fine quality, at..		lot silks and linens ..	
	Ladies' Coats		Men's Suits		Ladies' and Misses' Hats	
	Ladies' Coats, Velour,	\$3.75	Sport models and Eng-	\$12.95	All new, smart shapes, tomorrow	
	Etc., Fine Quality	\$3.75	lish, absolutely wool.		they go at	50c 95c \$1.95
	Ladies' Silk Hose		Overcoats		Dresses! Dresses!	
	Ladies' Silk Hose, All	37c	The Latest Models,	\$11.75	Ladies' and Misses', all the latest	
	Shades	37c	Best Quality		Styles	
	Pure Lisle Hose		Boys' Suits		\$3.95 and \$4.95	
FREE—SUIT CASE WITH EVERY PURCHASE \$5 OR OVER	Pure Lisle Hose, for Men	18c	\$3.95 Wonderful	\$4.95	Ladies' Suits	
	and Women		Bargains		Newest Fall Models, Velours and	
	Men's and Ladies' Hose		Men's Shirts		Poirot Twill. Don't	
	Men's and Ladies' Hose,	8c	Men's Shirts, Heavy Flannel	95c	miss the bargain	\$12.50
	All Shades		Well Made		Ladies' Shoes & Oxfords	
	Men's Dress Shirts		Men's Hats		Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords, black	
	Men's Dress Shirts, the	95c	All Wool Felts, the latest	\$1.69	and brown, wonderful	
	the Latest Patterns		shapes, sacrificed at ..		Bargain	\$2.75



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REMEMBER THE NAME AND NUMBER—BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT.

The Nut Cracker

by Joe Williams

A featherweight boxer in Australia wears a beard, and it is presumed he always wins by a whisker.

Not being a Wall Street operator is hardly likely that Mr. Camp will attempt to pick an All-America professional team this year.

We are shocked to hear that Gene Sarazen intends to wed a movie actress.... We had hoped he would take matrimony seriously.

The Irish Free State has floated a loan of \$30,000,000, evidently anticipating an early visit from Jack Kearns.

Bathing Skid, called the singular Senegalose, gave away \$1,000 in tips, and the best-hops of the nation wish he were plural.

It is said that Dempsey's best hand is his right, this being the one he counts his money with.

We imagine Walter Raleigh was the sort of guy who would get up in a canoe and give his seat to a lady.

A Johns Hopkins University report shows that 7,000 college graduates are held in various jails, most of whom, when arrested, were wearing silk stockings, diamond shoes and bell-top trousers.

Teachers with glass jaws are not always what they are cracked up to be.—Col. Hickory Knutt.

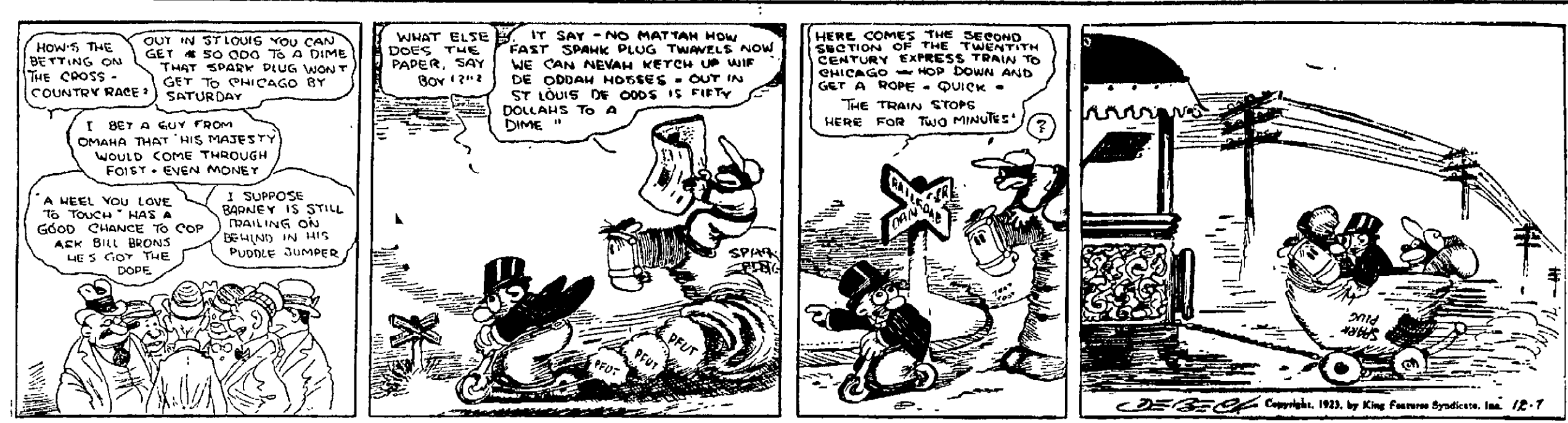
Inebriated for four years, California must get an awful kick out of the current debate as to whether Cornell Yale is the best team in the world.

They are going to put more seats in the Red Sox baseball park, in order to accommodate the large crowds which stay away.

It grieves us to read that Jack Malone is going after the middle-weight title. We had always pictured him as an ambitious young fishman.

BARNEY GOOGLE and SPARK PLUG

Sparky May Be Down, But He Isn't Out



Shift of Weight From Center of Line To Tackles Main Trend of the Season

By LAWRENCE PERRY
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NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—An outstanding trend of the late football season seems to have been missed by every one. Yet a significance attaches to it that is very great. It related to the shifting of weight from the center of the line to the tackles.

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O'Day's Decision Ends Argument

By BILLY EVANS

Hank O'Day, veteran National League umpire, is a rather brusque individual.

Because of his prominence in the sport world, baseball fans during the summer are always willing to strike up a conversation with Henry. And if there is one thing in the world that Hank hates to talk about in the summer time, it's baseball.

If you don't happen to know Hank he is as good as dead. For 40 years and more Hank has been before the public, dodging the baseball bugs.

The baseball fan, however, is an original cuss. It seems he is always able to invent a line of conversation that will pave the way to a fanning bee with someone prominent in the diamond sport.

For several years the daylight-saving question has provoked more arguments than any other topic of conversation. It offered a couple of St. Louis fans a chance to have a few words with O'Day one very hot day last summer. Very few words.

Now if there is one time that Hank hates to be bothered with baseball piffle, it is while he is being shaved. While the barber in the hotel shop was asking Hank if the razor hurt him one of the fans, who was arguing as to whether Chicago time was an hour ahead of St. Louis, remarked:

"Mr. O'Day lives in Chicago, we will put it up to him for a decision." The other fan agreed to leave the dispute to Hank. Walking over to the barber's chair, where O'Day was being shaved, the braver of the fans said:

"Isn't Chicago an hour ahead of St. Louis, Mr. O'Day?"

"It's a hundred years," was Hank's growl reply, and he meant it. That ended the conversation.

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Avoid Fires at Christmas Time!

BY JOHN PLANT
Chief Engineer of Chicago Fire Prevention Bureau.

Don't decorate your tree with paper, cotton or other inflammable material. Use metallic tinsel and other impregnated decorations. Set the tree securely so it cannot be tipped over.

Don't use cotton to imitate snow. Use powdered mica or asbestos fiber. Don't permit children to light or relight candles while parents are not present. Use electrical illumination for the tree if possible.

Don't allow trees to remain inside buildings after the holidays. Many fires occur annually in January from this cause.

Don't place a lighted candle in the window. It is a very pretty custom, but highly hazardous.

Don't merely depend on having a bucket of water about while the Christmas tree is lighted. Equip yourself with a 10-gallon water pump or one of the good chemical extinguishers available at reasonable prices.

Don't give your children moving picture machines with celluloid, non-impregnated film. Fires from film at Christmas time are becoming more frequent.

Don't let children hang their stockings too near an open burning grate or stove.

Don't take a chance. Christmas season last year caused property damage from fires running close to \$100,000,000.

ALL OF TUNNEY'S WOE COMES FROM ONE LITTLE FINGER

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Gene Tunney of this city, light heavyweight champion of the world, has probably been laid up oftener with a busted hand than any other star in the game. And the strange thing about Tunney is that he always breaks the same hand, or to be more correct the same finger. And stranger still is the fact that he never breaks the same finger in the same place twice. The fragile finger is the second one on the right hand. Tunney has broken it three times in three different places.

Ain't It Tough

"I dunno that I wanna get married, Mazie. It wouldn't be excitin' like in th' movies. They ain't ever one awful scandal in my past that I could worry about my husband findin' out."—New York Sun and Globe.

Golf Ass'n. Will Meet January 5

By WALTER CAMP
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NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Of all the various meetings of the sport organizations which are pending perhaps will be followed by a greater or a more convalescent here January 5.

It is extra-ordinary how this sport has spread to every portion of the country. It was not so many years ago that a man with a set of golf clubs was regarded as a "dude" and for some years the real athlete looked upon the golfer as a distinctly effeminate individual. But even that never checked the progress of the game.

Appropos of this coming meeting, it seems very difficult in any sport when husbands are raised to pursue the legislators that it is only a pumpkin with a lantern in it and that there is no need to be alarmed. This applies in golf both to balls and clubs. Seasons of the prodigious distance that improvements in these implements may affect have been frightening our timid legislators for the last decade, but worse than that, they have resulted in many clubs lengthening their courses at considerable expense, with the consequent raising of dues, because forsooth, the modern golf ball was driven by 2 per cent. of the members of that club so far that they were enabled to score consistently under 80.

This lengthening of courses was not necessary, and it is not necessary now. For 95 per cent. of the average club membership will not score regularly under 90 and there is no reason to spend fifty to sixty thousand dollars to accommodate one man out of ten.

His Nose Knows

"BUDDY (sneezed with) —We're going to have chicken for dinner."

HIS YOUNGER SISTER —How do you know?

"BUDDY"—I over-smelled it in the kitchen.—Life

SLEDD DEFEATS MAIN ST. TEAM

Sledd Memorial and Main street had a battle royal in the last few minutes of play by the score of 11 to 10. Rustin and Taylor were the main springs for Sledd while Dan Dickinson, Harris and Thompson played fine ball for Main street.

Manager Hurd had on Main street men on the floor ready to go. The line up:

Sledd	Pos	Main St.
Taylor	Dan Dickinson & Brown	Forward
Murrell	Dudley	Guard
Rustin	Forward	Harris
Martin	Center	Estes & Hall
Cook	Guard	Thompson & Gunn

Field goals: Dan Dickinson 3, Harris 2, Taylor 1, Murrell 1, Rustin 3. Foul goals: Taylor 1 out of 3, Murrell 0 out of 1, Rustin 0 out of 1. Referee: Foy, Umer, Farley.

Partially at Least

The Chicago professor who tells his pupils not to study or smoke just before retiring is entitled to believe his advice will be heeded in part.—Detroit News.

Every call answered by the London fire brigade costs 91 pounds.

VICENTI SIGNS FOR 3 FIGHTS

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Luis Vicenti, Chilean lightweight, has signed a contract with Tex Rickard for three fights, the third to be a \$50,000 match with Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, providing the South American disposes of his other two opponents. It was learned today that Vicenti, who has gained prominence by knocking out three opponents in a row since coming to the United States two months ago, will have his first test under the contract in a twelve-round bout with Johnny Shugrue, of Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 14, at Madison Square Garden.

If he defeats Shugrue, the Chilean's next opponent probably will be Pat Moran, of New Orleans who recently established himself as a title contender by knocking out Charley White, of Chicago.

The agreement Rickard is said to have with Vicenti is similar to one under which Luis Angel Firpo came to the United States early this year. Firpo knocked out Bill Brennan and Jess Willard to gain the match with Jack Dempsey which made pugilistic history at the Polo Grounds last September.

PRESBYTERIANS WIN QUINT GAME

The first Presbyterians marked their return to the Sunday school stage after a year's absence by defeating the Christians in a one sided game by the score of 28 to 2. Only one field goal was caged by Roy Flynn for the Christians. Both H. Flynn and Jefferson missed a number of easy shots but the team as a whole did some clever passing. The Presbyterians tried out a number of men eight in all and some promising material was in evidence. Franklin and Foy were all over the floor and Buck Clark was very much in evidence. Harper, Ware and Perkinson also played good games.

The fire up:

Presbyterians	Pos.	Christians
Harper & Gouley	F. Flynn	Forward
Foy & Clark	Jefferson	Forward
Ware	Forward	Bousman
Perkinson & Foy	Center	Ingram
Franklin	Guard	R. Flynn

Field goals: Fourley 1; Harper 1; Clark 2; Ware 3; Foy 5; Perkinson 2. Foul goals: Ware 0 out of 1, Jefferson 0 out of 2. Referee, Riddle.

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PEEL IS RECOVERING

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Peter Peel, president of the United States Football Association and member of the American Olympic Commission, reported recovering from an operation for appendicitis, performed here yesterday.

Sure Candid Enough

Truth will out, even in advertisements, as another misprint shows: "Wanted, a general servant to do the work of a small horse."—London Daily News.

Among the instruments used by up-to-date dentists are scalers, explorers, win vices, "revelation" burs, chisels and pluggers.

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Ladies suits in finest of Poretts, Yaloma, Suedine, tailored or fancy models, high grade workmanship, value \$35.00, closing price

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\$3.98

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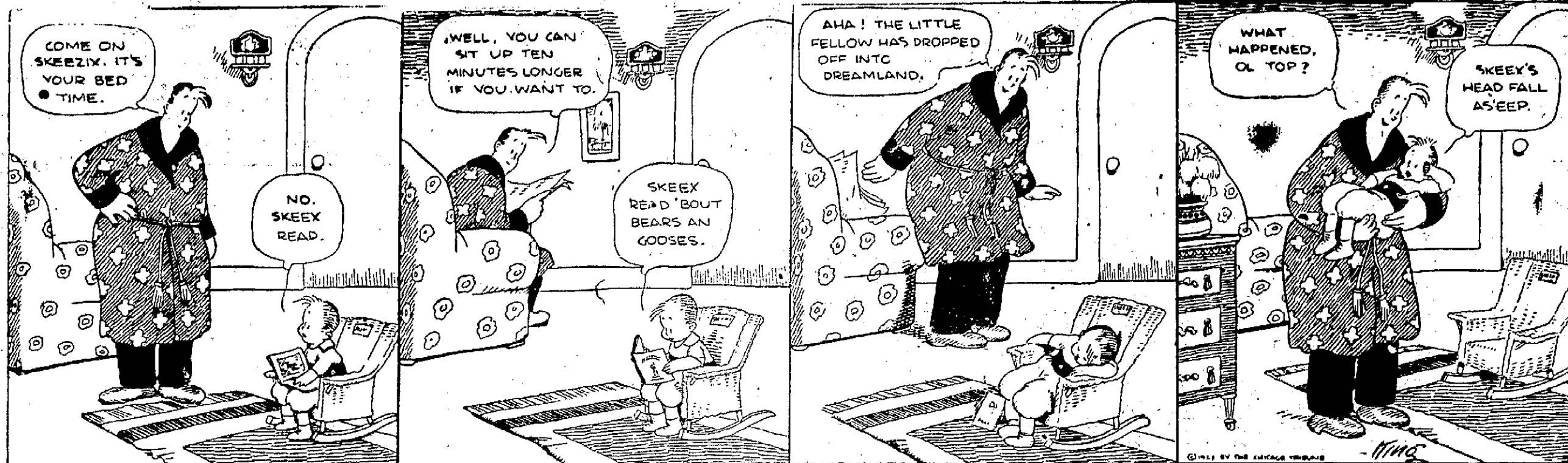
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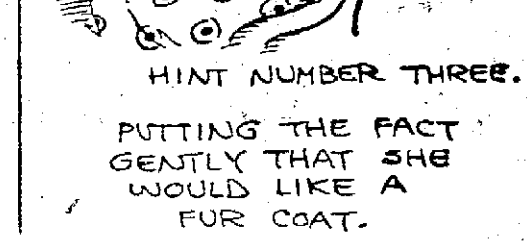
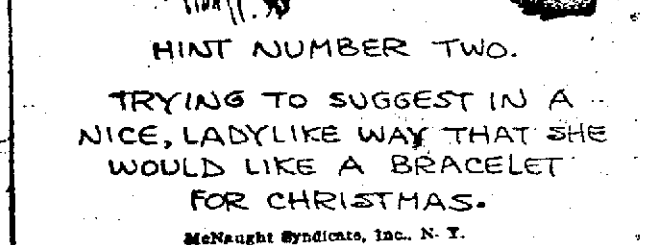
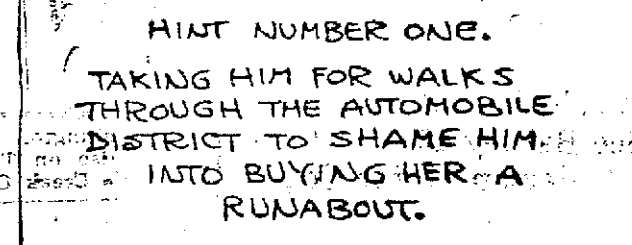
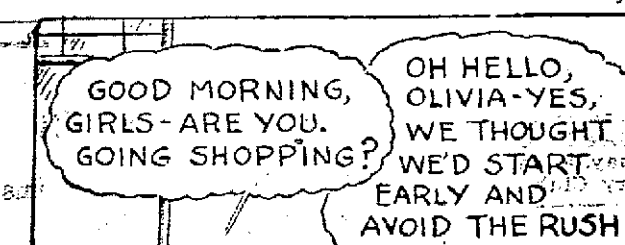
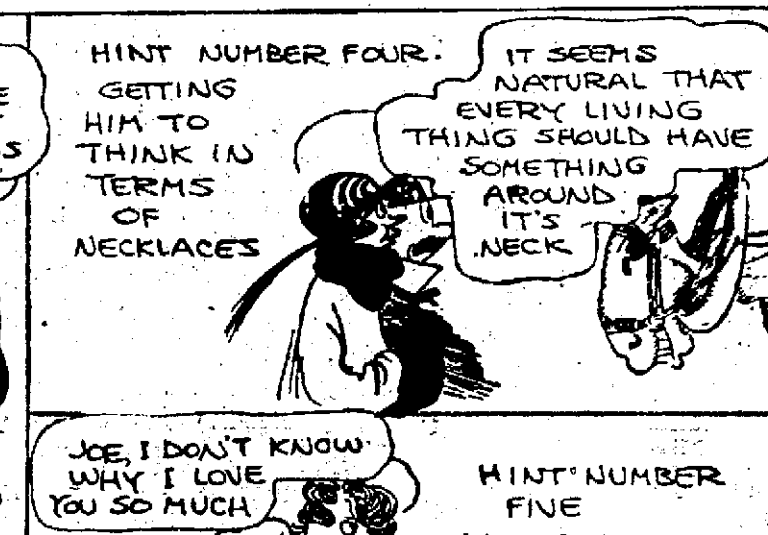
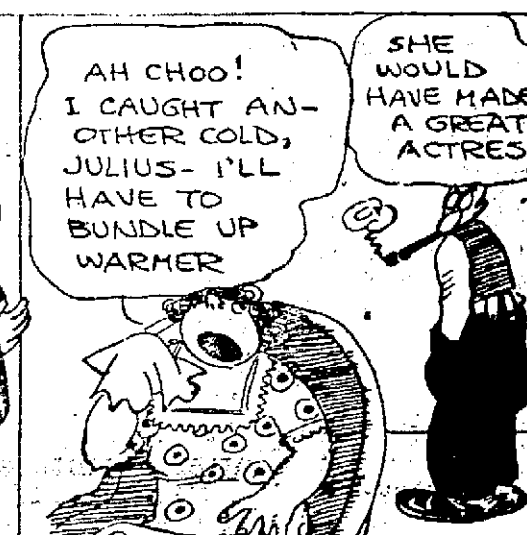
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By King



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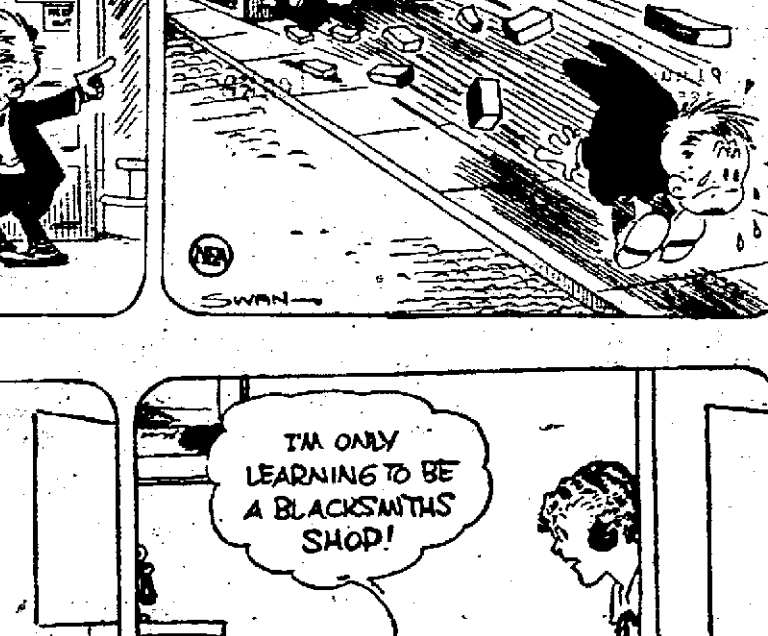
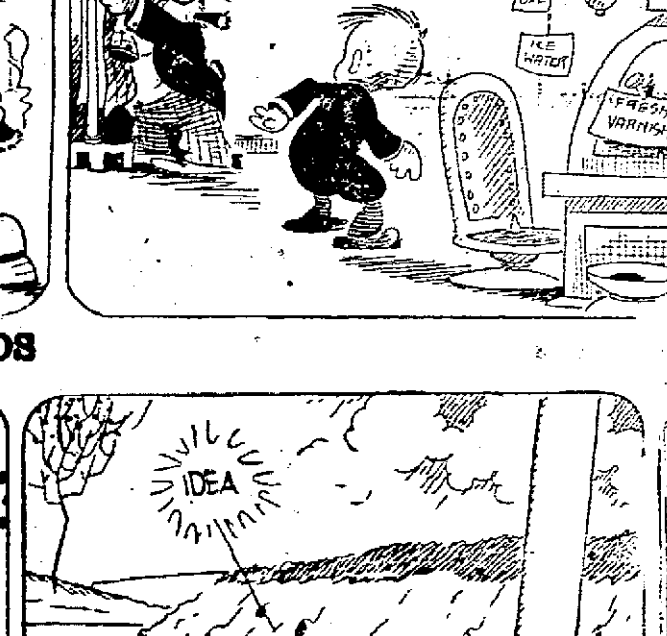
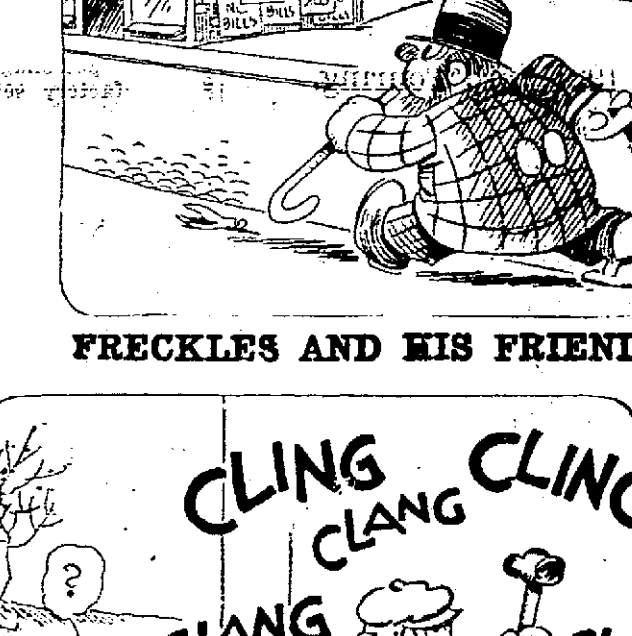
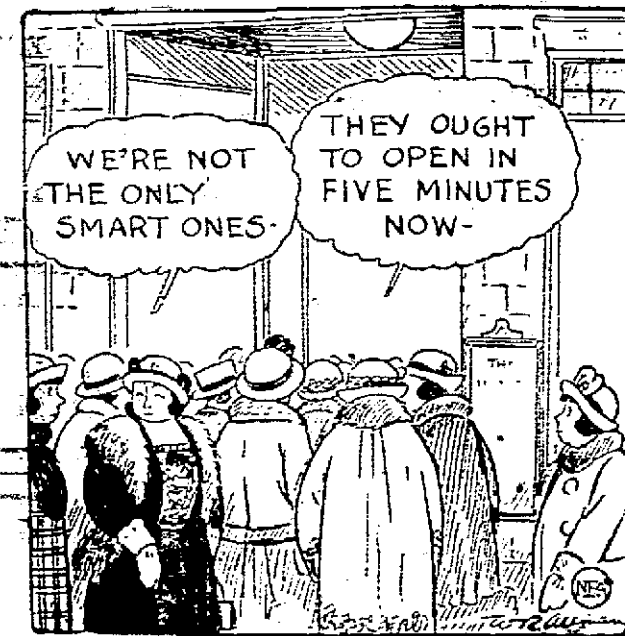
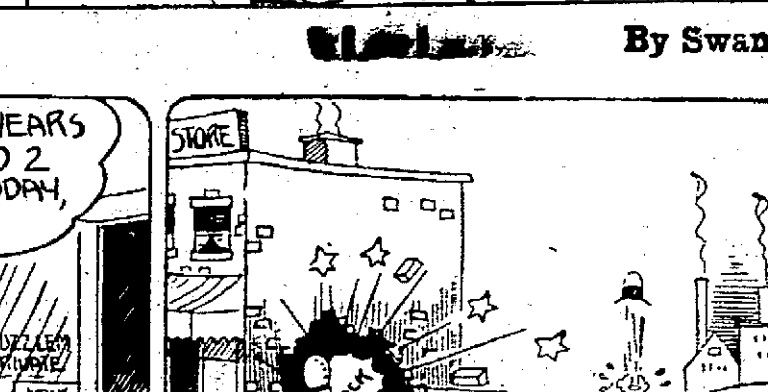
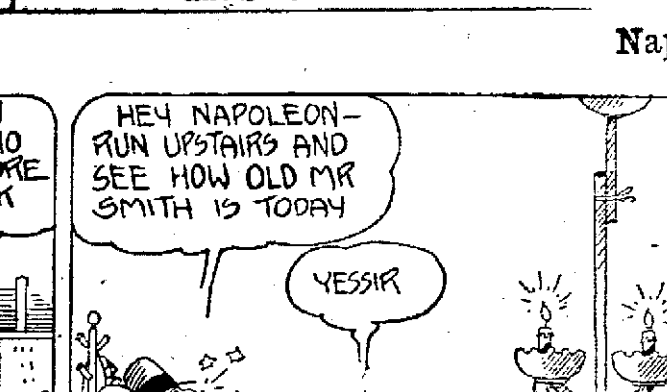
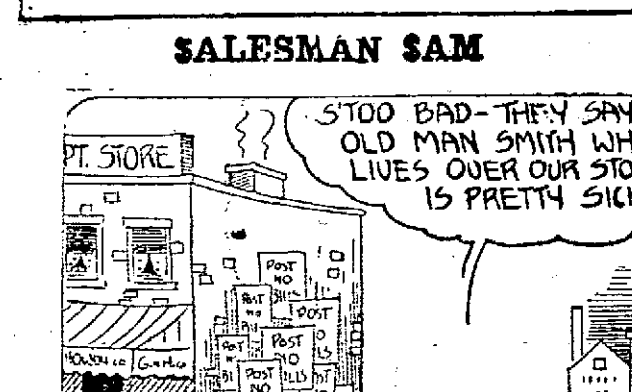
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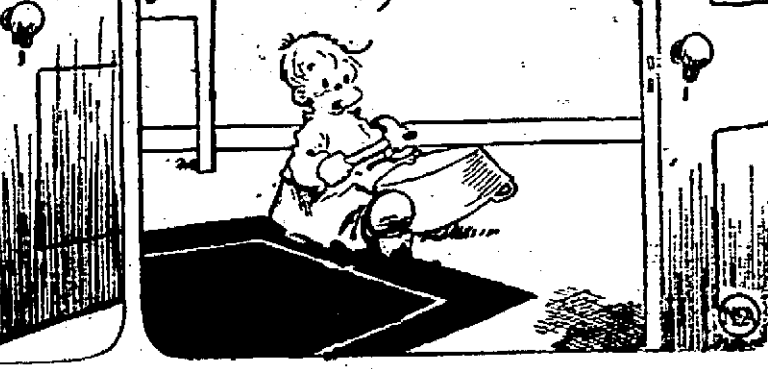
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(By The Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Stock prices developed considerable irregularity at the opening of today's stock market and losses being about evenly divided in the initial transactions. Tobacco Product jumped 1-4 to 72, another new 1923 top, and Davison Chemical climbed a point. The market, however, was called upon to absorb a large volume of profit-taking. Pan-American B dropping 1-2 points.

The general market stiffened in the late dealings, the only conspicuous heavy spots being the Pan-American

issues which were sold on reports of political disturbances in Mexico, and Corn Products. Dupont gained 3 points. Good buying also was noted in the automotive and equipment issues and a few rails such as Reading, Atlantic Coast Line and Gulf, Mobile and Northern Common and pfd. Foreign exchanges slumped sharply on the British election results and then made a partial recovery.

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If alcohol is spilled on varnish, wash with water immediately or pour on oil.

STOCK REPORT

Thomson & McKinnon.

Sales to Noon.

Alchikon	88
Anacosta Copper	38 1/2
Allied Chemical & Dye	66 1/2
Amer. Smelting & Refining	58 1/2
American Locomotive	73 1/2
American International	23 1/2
American Agr. Chem.	11 1/2
American Can	104
American Sugar	55 1/2
American Woolen	74 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	125 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	60 1/2
Baltimore Ohio	146
Canadian Pacific	76
Coca Cola	62 1/2
Chandler Motors	72 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	32 1/2
Cosden & Co.	10 1/2
Corn Products	10 1/2
Central Leather	50 1/2
Continental Can	67 1/2
Cruible Steel	43 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	16 1/2
Chino Copper	13 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar, com.	54 1/2
do pfd.	25
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	14 1/2
Chicago M. & St. Paul	26
do pfd.	63
Chicago & N. W.	26
Consolidated Textile	6
Erie, com.	30
Erie, first pfd.	30
Famous Players-Lasky	70 1/2
General Motors	14 1/2
General Asphalt	35 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	58 1/2
Gulf States Steel	80 1/2
H. B. & Hartford	15 1/2
Hudson Motors	27 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	7
do pfd.	32 1/2
Inspiration Copper	25 1/2
Invincible Oil	10 1/2
Kennecott Copper	34 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire	31 1/2
Lima Locomotive	66 1/2
Missouri Pacific, com.	11 1/2
Middle States Oil	54 1/2
Mex. Seaboard	13 1/2
Mont. Ward & Co.	25
Marland Oil	34 1/2
Maxwell Motor "A"	47 1/2
Norfolk & Western	104 1/2
Northern American Co.	22 1/2
Northern Pacific	50 1/2
New York Central	105
N. Y. & Hartford	15 1/2
Pennsylvania	42 1/2
Pacific Oil	42 1/2
Pan-American Petroleum	60 1/2
Phillips Petro.	33
Pere Marquette	42 1/2
Producers & Refs.	25 1/2
Penn-Seaboard Steel	80
Reading	80
R. J. Reynolds "B"	70 1/2
Ray Consolidated	12 1/2
Republic Steel	12 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	48
Sinclair Oil & Refining	23 1/2
Southern Pacific	89
Studebaker Corporation	105 1/2
S. O. of Calif.	56 1/2
Sears Roebuck	84
Southern Railway, com.	38 1/2
Shelly Oil	22
Simms Petroleum	11 1/2
Tobacco Prod. "A"	92 1/2
Texas Co.	41 1/2
Texas & Pacific	21
Texas Pac. C. & O.	0 1/2
Union Pacific	131
Utah Copper	64
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	62 1/2
United States Rubber	35 1/2
United States Steel	94 1/2
Vanadium Corp.	30 1/2
Virginia-Caro. Chem.	8 1/2
do pfd.	35 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	35 1/2
Wabash, pfd. "A"	36
Union Carbide	54 1/2
Sales to noon, 475,000.	

MORNING COTTON LETTER

Thomson & McKinnon.

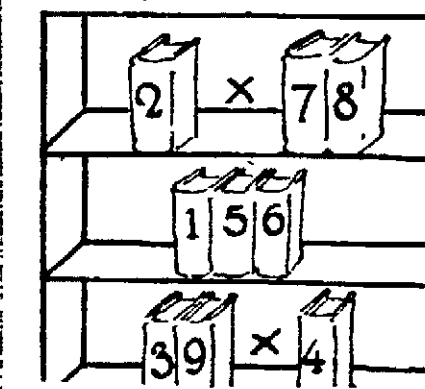
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—After displaying a better undertone yesterday, the cotton market again developed a reactionary tendency. Spot holders are very independent and not following the decline.

Long liquidation has been drastic, a good sized short interest has been created and, owing to scarcity of the actual, believe cotton is a purchase.

DAILY PUZZLE

Can you divide the number 237 into three parts in such a manner that 3 times the first part shall be equal to 5 times the second, and 8 times the third?

Yesterday's answer:



In the arrangement of books shown above, the total of the two numbers on the top row, when multiplied, is equal to the number formed by the books on the middle row. (2x78 equals 156); and the two numbers formed by the books on the bottom shelf (33x4) also multiply to form the number on the middle shelf (132).

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ROYAL S. COPELAND.
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Lady Astor is re-elected by a substantial majority over her Labor opponent; Winston Churchill, powerful influence in the liberal party, loses to Laborite at Leicester; Arthur Henderson, secretary of the Labor party, is defeated, and Herbert Asquith wins at Paisley.

Nine Mexican States have revolted against President Obregon and General Calles, who is Obregon's choice as his successor, late Vera Cruz dispatch declares.

Lieutenant Griffiths, of Hamilton, Ohio, who is on trial at Mosbach, Baden, for attempt to kidnap Grover C. Bergdoll, and bring back to the United States, says are graves of American soldiers in France prompted his act.

Pope will name a bishop coadjutor for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati to

assist Archbishop Moeller, Rome advisers say.

The Ford-Ford-President Conference that was to meet at Detroit December 12th has been indefinitely postponed at the request of Mr. Ford.

National Commander John of the American Legion, declares he is convinced that President Coolidge has been misinformed as to the wishes of "great mass of the people" on the soldiers' bonus.

Representative Butler, Republican, New York, introduces measure in the House to provide severe fines and prison terms for violators of the prohibition act.

Chairman of Indiana Republican State Committee declares that Governor McCraw should resign at once.

Hiram Johnson at New York declares he has never been more confident than now that he will win Republican presidential nomination.

James M. Cox, on hunting trip in Alabama, declines to confirm report that he is for McCadoo for Democratic nomination.

NEW YORK COTTON.

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The cotton market opened today at an advance of 39 to 70 points on more encouraging Liverpool advices, covering on buying. Active months sold about 59 to 65 points net higher with December advancing to 35.49 and March to 33.25 but this bulge seemed to attract a renewal of scattering liquidation which gave the market rather an unsettled appearance during the early trading. Private cables from Liverpool said that the more urgent liquidation there appeared to be over and the Liverpool market was considerably better than due on the New York close of yesterday. Trade interests were by buyers here at the opening but part of the selling on the advice seemed to come from the south.

December 35.20
January 34.50
March 33.60
May 33.32
July 33.51

MORNING STOCK LETTER

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The railroads made a wonderful showing in October. The railroad shares should be a good deal higher right now than they are.

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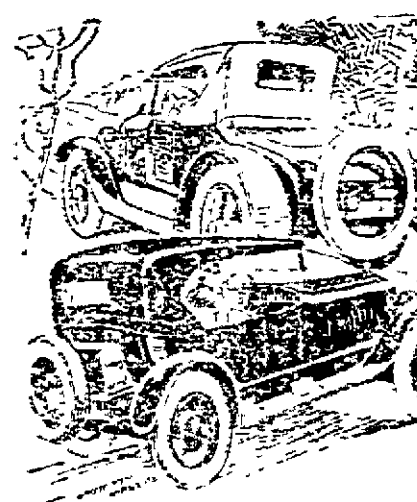
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